

ORBIT

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I'll give you Opal Jane,
 I'll give you the sweetest
 of luck always,
 I will

Opal Jane,
 you are a wonderful
 girl with a great
 personality. We're
 really going to miss
 you next year. Good luck
 always in all that you
 do.

To the best girl
 that one could know
 Best of luck always.
 Love ya Best D2

Dear Opal Jane - a
 you have such a
 warm unassuming
 personality that I shall
 always remember you.
 I'm very glad we had
 classes together in these
 three wonderful years.
 Always,
 Harvey
 Scott

Opal Jane,
 a darling girl
 with the sweetest
 personality ever.
 Best of luck and
 love always,
 Love ya,
 (P. J. Braceman)

Opal Jane,
 It has been great being in school
 with you. You are just a pleasure to
 be near. I know you will always
 have lots of luck. M.B. Calk

Opal Jane,
 you really a darling
 girl and it's been swell
 knowing you this past
 year. Best of luck in
 your future years -
 Love ya,
 Sandra
 J. Waller

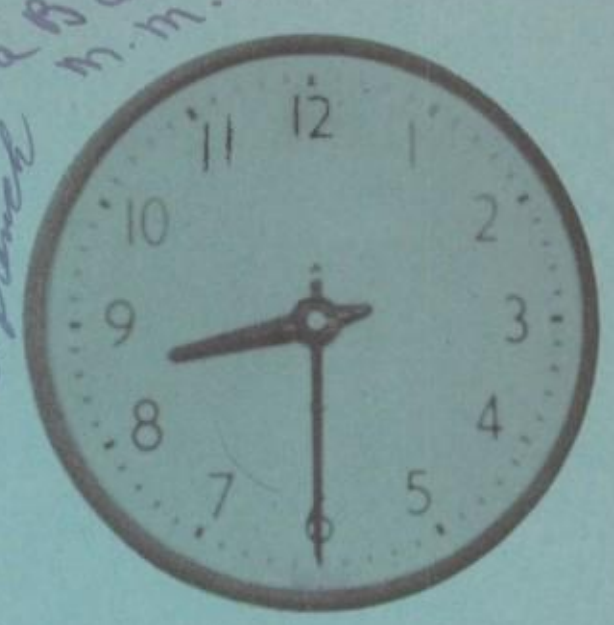
To the sweetest
 girl at Classen.
 Good luck to you
 in everything you
 attempt.
 Love,
 Shirley
 And

So a sweet and
 darling girl. I have
 really enjoyed being
 in classes with you
 at Classen. I hope
 we shall continue to
 be friends and I
 hope to see you
 at College.
 Love ya
 Margaret Hylar

Opal Jane,
 I may not know
 you very well but I
 do know from our
 short acquaintance that
 you have a wonderful
 personality. Lots of
 luck from
 a fellow history
 student.
 Bib
 Case

Opal Jane,
Best of luck to
you are
really a won-
derful girl &
friend. This
year has been so
much fun living with
you so much. Good
luck always!

Dear Opal Jane,
Best of luck
always to a very
sweet girl!
New Baid
M.M.C.



Dear Opal Jane,
I hope you will see a lot
of each other & I
we get out of the
classroom, right. Dear
remember the love
Mary Helen

Opal Jane,
a precious girl
with personality
plus
Love
Linda French

To Opal Jane,
you know how much I
love & think of you. You're so
cute & funny and you will
always have loads of friends
because of your friendliness
and sweet ways. B.V.S. sure
is going to miss you & all the
rest of the seniors next year.
Good luck in everything!!

Opal Jane -
Best wishes
& loads of luck to
a wonderful girl
I hope you can continue
our friendship.
D. Casey

Love,
Jacque M.
B.V.S.
5/14/53

Dear Opal Jane
You are one of the loveliest &
most charming girls in Classen. I'm
wishing you all the happiness there
can be in the future. It sure
has been nice knowing you.

Opal Jane
Lots of Luck through
all the years. Good Luck
with your music -
Bushels of Love,
Joan Singsen

Always,
Jay David
Although there isn't
much room to write
here. I will wish you
loads of luck.
Bob Utley

You'll never know how
much I think of you. You
are more of a sister to me
than a cousin.
Best of Luck always
to a wonderful girl.
Sandra
B.V.S.

me and
it wishes
a small
R.W.H.

Opal Jane,
To the most
wonderful girl I have
ever met. With a loving
personality I know that you
will really go far at college.
It will really be a loss when we
lose you. I wish you all the luck
in the world at college.
Love you always,
Mary Ann Boyette
B. O. S.

Opal Jane,
you are a darling
girl and I know
you will go far in
life. Always stay
as sweet and as
cute as you are
now.
Lucie Boyette
M. M. S.

To Opal Jane,
one of the sweetest little girls
I've ever known. Sure you are
always. I hope we will still
be friends in 1983.
Love,
Mary Ann Boyette

Dear Opal Jane,
You are a
wonderful girl in every
way. We've had a lot
of fun together in past
years and I hope we'll
have more in the future.
I'm glad you talked me
into being in the club.
Love you,
Gloria
B. V. C.

Dear Opal Jane,
It has been a wonderful
honor + great privilege
to know you this past year.
Love always
Mary Ann Boyette
B. O. S.

Opal Jane,
I can't express in
words how much I
think of you. I hope
we'll always be friends.
Best to you always & may
God watch over you.
Love,
Beverly Kelly
5-14-53

Opal Jane,
I hope you are
happy and healthy
and that you are
enjoying college.
I hope you are
making good friends
and that you are
having a good time.
Love you,
Gloria
B. V. C.

ORBIT

a wonderful girl
who brings happi-
ness to all
people in
return.

Love,
Cynthia
Frost
B.V.B.

Opal Jane -
Always stay as
sweet as you are and
I'm sure you will go far.
I really have enjoyed
knowing you. But
now I'm
of luck.

1953

Opal Jane -
I have really enjoyed
knowing you in Jr High
and High School. I think
you are one of the sweetest
girls I know. I think
are going far. I
can always

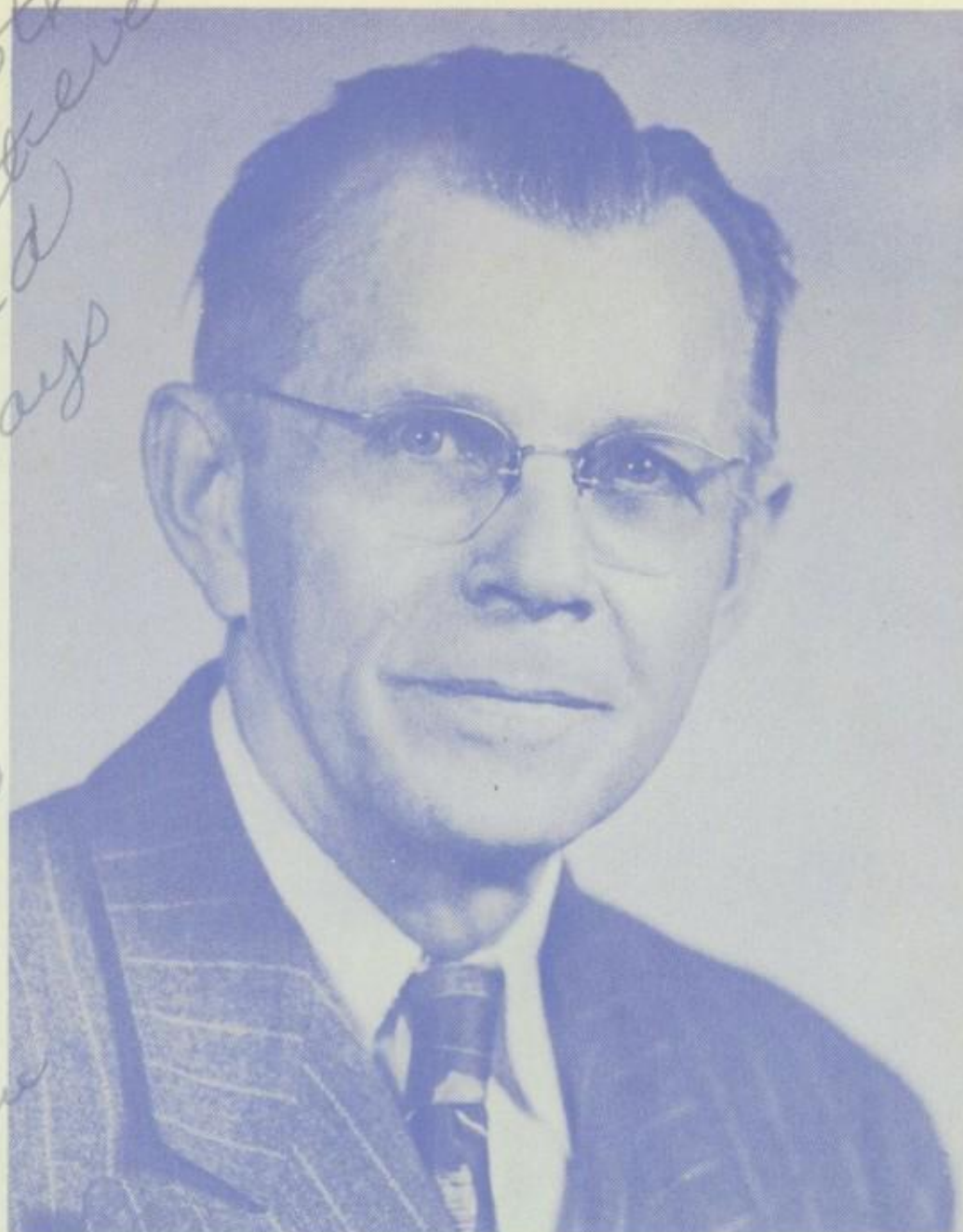
- Opal Jane -
It certainly has
been a pleasure to know
you this year. With your



CLASSEN HIGH SCHOOL
Oklahoma City, Oklahoma

Dear Opal Jane -
I've really enjoyed
you and
comes a not too
cross. You're a
real girl. Sweet
luck! Best of
everything
have
love,
Wait.

To Opal Jane,
 You're a
 darling girl and
 as sweet as they
 come! Don't
 change and
 you'll always
 be as
 lovable
 as you
 are
 now?
 Diane



Opal Jane,
 I have enjoyed being in English class with you
 and I hope that you have the best of luck.
 Sincerely,
 Patsy Dean

Jim Miller
 1953
 You really changed my life.

DEDICATION

MR. ARTHUR KINCAID

The 1953 Orbit is dedicated—to the man with a smile on his face and sunshine in his heart, Mr. Arthur Kincaid. . .the man who loves and is loved by the students and teachers of Classen High School. . .who through his 29 years of service has known hundreds of Classenites.

Mr. Kincaid first came to Oklahoma City in 1920 where he taught at Irving Opportunity School. In 1924 he began teaching here at Classen where he has been teaching foreign languages ever since.

Because of his great interest in education, and his faith in the younger generation, we of Classen can continue, knowing that we will succeed.

- Opal Jane -
 Gosh, It's sure been great
 knowing you this year.
 You're really a swell-swell
 gal. I want to wish you
 the best in everything because

Dear Opal Jane,
 you are so sweet and so nice to everyone. I know you can do a long way. I'm glad I got to attend your class and I hope you are really among the sweetest.
 Love & luck
 Norma
 I think you are the nicest girl I know. Best regards
 Hugues Early

To Opal Jane
 who is one of the sweetest girls I have ever known. I hope to have you in my class. Best of luck to you.
 D. V. Hanes

Dear Opal Jane,
 I can't tell you how much I have enjoyed knowing you. I think you are such a doll and I really love you.
 Dandy Hines

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I think you are the nicest girl I know. Best regards Hugues Early

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Dear Opal Jane,
 I want to tell you how much I really have enjoyed knowing you these past years - especially this one. You are a swell friend to have and it is really an honor to me to have someone like you for such a friend. I want to really wish you the best in everything always - you sure deserve it. Thanks for suffering with me this year. My best always -
 Alan

FOREWORD

We of the Orbit staff chose "The Circus" for our theme this year because of its similarity with life at Classen. Many students feel that school is all drudgery. But think back, do you remember last August when you were waiting for school to begin? Do you remember your impatience?

Take for instance the members of the Board of Education and think of them as the circus directors, the superintendent as the ring leader, the principal as the barker, the faculty as the animal trainers, the student body, as the animals, the cheerleaders are the clowns, the student council as the managers, and the Orbit staff as the make-up artists.

Although we make this comparison, education should be taken seriously. As we have been told time and time again, we are "living in an Age of Crises," with danger lurking in all four corners of the earth.

It is therefore necessary for our generation to extend a maximum ability in leadership and world understanding.

We of the 1953 Orbit class have attempted to compare life as we must live it in the world today with not only the gaiety but also the seriousness of the circus.

Your life and the lives of those around you make up the "Greatest and Most Important Show on Earth."

Bob Curran
 Editor-in-Chief

Dear Opal Jane
 you're a wonderful girl
 I've certainly enjoyed being in comes with you this year.
 It has been wonderful knowing you too. Best of luck in everything you do.
 Love ya,
 Lois Brandt
 H.E.Y.

Dear Opal Jane,
 You are a wonderful girl
 I know! You are a wonderful
 girl and a wonderful
 person. I know!
 You are a wonderful
 girl and a wonderful
 person. I know!

as open for
 known you
 many years and
 a wonderful
 you're a friend. I'll never forget you.
 Love,
 Lucetta
 Turner

ADMINISTRATION

Dawn
 Henton
 B. V. G.

Dear Dad
 You have been
 very sweet
 and I truly
 love you
 and I hope
 to see you
 soon.
 Love,
 Mrs. M. G.



Laura Haley
 Matthews



I hope you are
 well and happy.
 I love you
 and I hope
 to see you
 soon.
 Love,
 Mrs. M. G.



DR. J. CHESTER SWANSON

Oklahoma City's Superintendent of Schools, Dr. J. Chester Swanson, is a highly honored man. He has received recognition in Who's Who in American Education (1951-52). Dr. Swanson has also received a local honor, an honorary L. L. D. given by Oklahoma City University in recognition of his educational contributions both local and national.

Children being his main interest, he endorses a child-centered program with a well-rounded curriculum which meets the individual differences of each child.

Pertaining to public schools, Dr. Swanson says:

"Our expanding school system and increasing enrollment are definite signs of a growing city. The schools are responsible for the education of the children who are now listed on our census rolls and also obligated to the numerous children who will logically increase our present enrollment status.

"The progress of our community depends largely upon the vision and ability of its leaders to provide educational facilities for children as well as economic development.

"An alert citizenry will agree that only by careful and sagacious planning can we provide adequate buildings for the future citizens of Oklahoma City and only by all of us working together can we interpret the impending school problems to the public."

BOARD OF EDUCATION

J. Chester Swanson

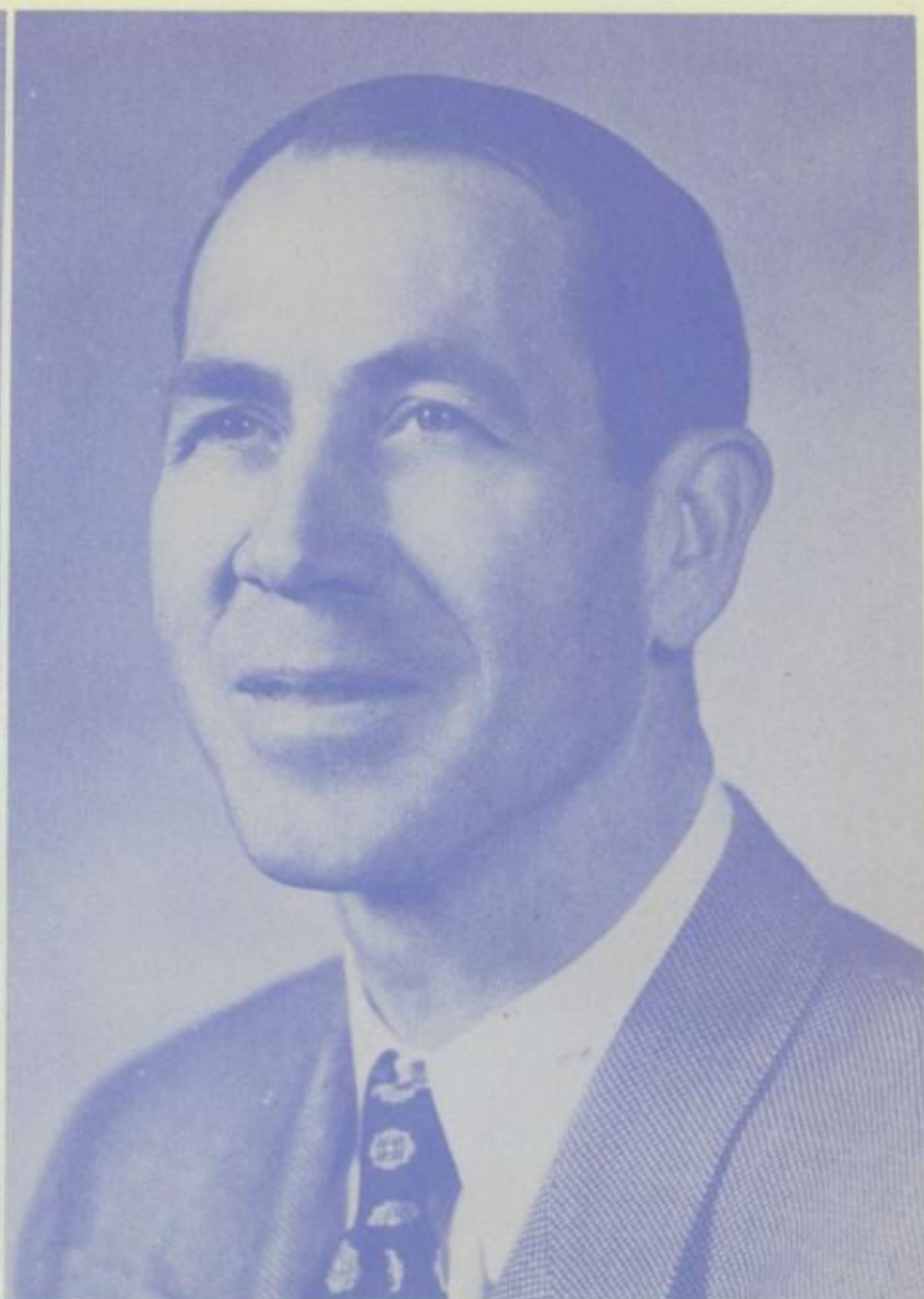
Acting as members of the Board of Education are, (left to right) Mr. John C. Pearson, Jr., president; Mr. R. Lewis Barton; Mr. C. B. McCray, vice president; Mrs. L. D. Melton, newest member; and Mr. Jim Lookabaugh former Oklahoma A&M football coach.





MR. WILLIAM H. TAYLOR
Principal

W. H. Taylor



MR. LLOYD M. ESTES
Vice-Principal

Lloyd M. Estes



Harold Messenger is giving Mr. Estes the Meteor announcements for C.S.S., while the crowd in the background is admiring Mrs. Knight's beautiful Christmas present, a ring.



Even a friendly chat between Mr. Taylor and the referee didn't seem to help the boys win this game.

*your future happiness
alley*

Miss Baughman



CLARA ALLEY
Registrar



ETHEL BASSINGER
Commerce

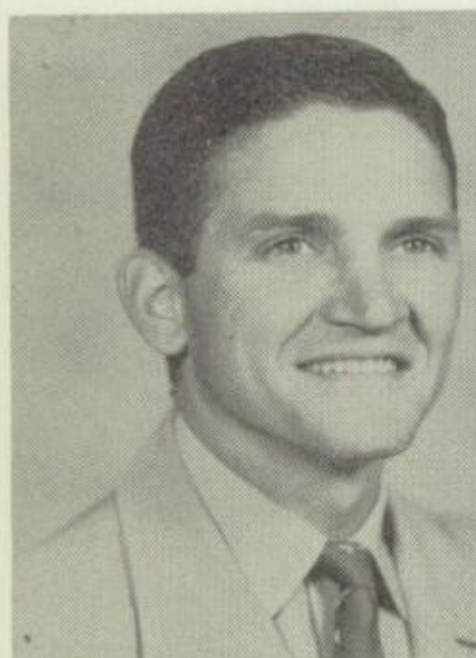


IRIS BAUGHMAN
English

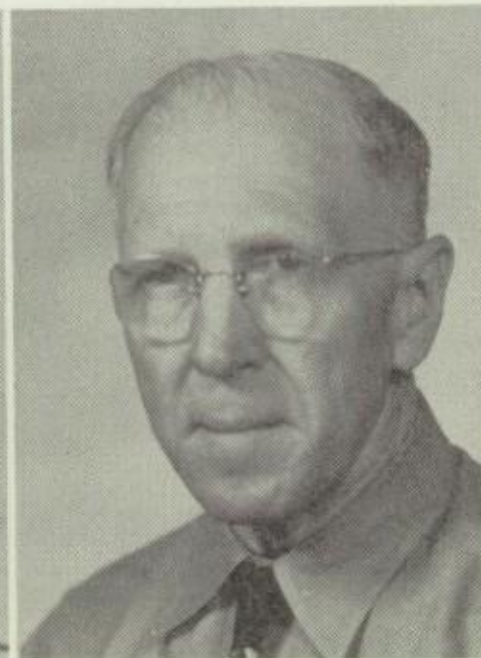


HELEN BOURKE
English

Helen Bourke



WILLIAM BRADDOCK
Diversified Occupations



GEORGE BROWN
Head Custodian



GEORGE BRUCHER
Counselor



GERALDINE BUZBEE
Science



Miss Hulet is a big help to the girls at Classen, such as helping Diane Wilkins with her schedule. Not only is Miss Hulet the Dean of Girls, but she is also the sponsor of the Sophomore Class. Girls with problems concerning school and college find her very helpful and understanding.



OPHELIA BYARS
History



W. T. BYNUM
Physical Ed.



VIRGIL CALDWELL
Language



VERA CAMPBELL
Home Economics
Vera R. Campbell



MARY CANTRELL
Commerce

Mary Cantrell



REBA CLARK
Mathematics



EUNICE COCKRUM
Librarian

Eunice M. Cockrum



JIM CONGER
Physical Ed.

Mike Fisher and Carol Gallamore, seniors, look at a copy of "MacBeth" with Mrs. Mabel Knight.

Senior English students are required to read "MacBeth", Juniors read "The House of Seven Gables", and Sophomores read "Silas Marner."

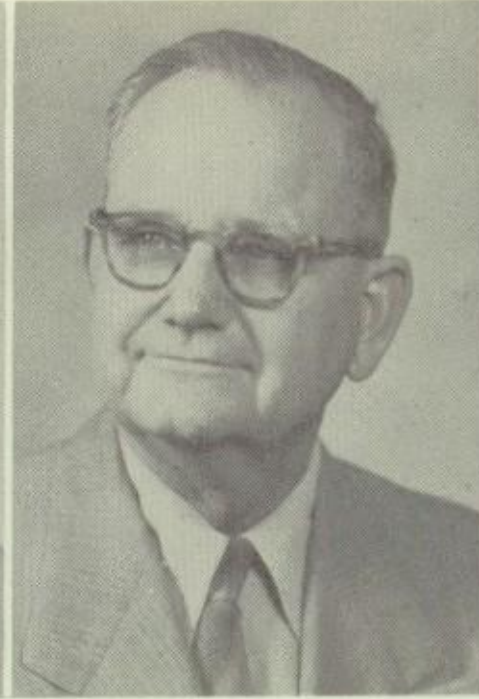




IVY COPELAND
Clerical Occupations



MERL CORNELIUS
Vocal Music



CLARK CUNNINGHAM
Commerce



ROBERT CURRY
Art



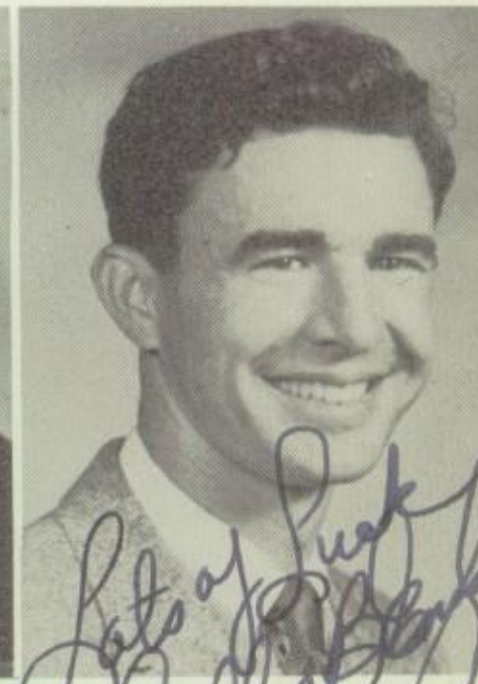
CLAYTON DAVIS
History & Physical Ed.



JULIA DENNY
Mathematics



INEZ ELLIS
Language—Testing



COLLIS ENGLAND
History

Jo Anna Haun and Mrs. Harris have the exciting job of checking the absentees.





The Presidential Inauguration gave Classsen students a breather from regular class work. Here Miss Link's sophomore English class watches the proceedings in class.



THELMA EVANS
Financial Secretary



KATHERINE GIBSON
Head of English Dept.



GENE GILMER
Math, Physical Education



BERNICE GORDON
Math



CHARLES HALE
Metalwork



REBA HARRIS
Attendance



EDNA HEDGES
Home Economics



JAN HEDRICK
Physical Education

Retha Wane Hulet



J. W. HICKS
Industrial Arts



BLANCHE HOLLAND
History



MILDRED HOLLAND
Commerce



RETHA HULET
Dean of Girls



REX IRWIN
Physical Education and Math



REBA JAMES
Attendance



ARTHUR JOHNSON
Instrumental Music



GERALD KIDD
Speech



Mrs. Thelma Evans is probably receiving a financial report from Suzanne Davis. Mrs. Evans is the financial secretary for Classen. As any body knows, this is a full time job. You will remember seeing her when you paid your fees, or if you didn't pay your fees your probably saw even more of her. Suzanne is one of the office aids.

*Happy Days
for Opal Jane
Thelma Evans*

*You're a lovely girl - and
a real Comber
L. Marshall*



It looks like Mr. England is getting ready to put Barbara Hendrick, Frances Jordan, Loralyn Bomar, and Tinker Neff to work. But just ask any of them, I bet they don't mind.

Della Link



ARTHUR KINCAID
Language



MABEL KNIGHT
English



MARY LAMB LEWIS
Art



DELLA LINK
English



HAZEL LIVINGSTON
English



FRANK McKEE
Industrial Arts



LYDA MARSHALL
English



CLARA MEYER
History



NOLA MOORE
School Nurse



RAYMOND T. NICHOLS
Journalism



HELEN NORRIS
English



ALONZO NORWOOD
Industrial Arts



KATHLEEN OWEN
Physical Education



JOHN M. PADON
Science



MABLE PARK
English



LELIA PICKARD
Language



Mary Hall receives professional advice on the art of adjusting a hem from Miss Campbell and Jeanette Cook.



Beverly Dawson demonstrates the correct way to use the new electric adding machine, as Mrs. Cope-land and Mary Jane Scheele watch approvingly.



LEFT TO RIGHT: Betty Aikman, Ronald Thompson and Miss Smith are working on the campaign for the first Little Theatre production of the year.



Mr. Brucher and Mrs. Alley are busy working on the enrollment problem for the second semester.



GLENN POWERS
Science



MARY PRUITT
Math



ROBERT REID
Driver Education



JACK ROBLYER
Physical Education



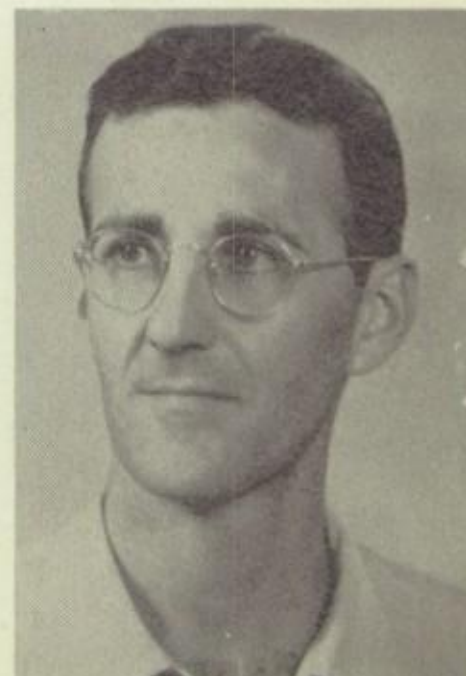
CARL SHAFER
Science



GLADYS SHEPARD
History

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MARGARET SIEGLY
Vocational Radio and Speech



CARROLL SMELSER
Physical Education

*Best Worker
Gladys Shepard*



ROSE MARIE SMITH
Speech



ETHA TOWNSEND
Commerce



ELAINE TUCKER
Radio Director



HENRIETTA VON
TUNGEN
Language



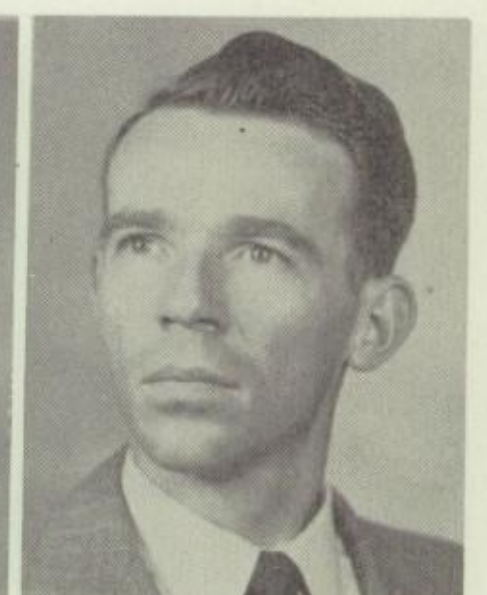
DUANE WEINERT
History Guidance



BETH WEST
Distributive Education



LUCILLE
WILLOUGHBY
Language



CHARLES WILSON
Science



Carolyn Chatburn and
George Soule look pleased
with Mr. Johnson's plan
of a formation for Clas-
sen's Band.

ORGANIZATIONS

Dear Dear Jane,

You are really a wonderful
girl and I am really going
to miss you next year. I know
in later life you will climb
to higher heights than at present.
You have the ability to win
friendship easily and I know
you will always have
happiness.

Love,

Debbie

B.O.S.





Art Nouveau

This organization is sponsored by the art department. The purpose of this group is to further and sponsor art activities of the school and participate in city and national art events. They take trips to various art exhibits and sponsor a picnic and mixer during the year.

ROW 1: Miss Mary Lamb Lewis, Martha McCulloch, Pat Bonham, Carolyn Otey, Marietta Tunnell—vice president. Mary Lou Blakley—president, Sallie Miller, Susie Myren, Sharye Crame, Robert Bernat, Lois Brandle, Sally Freel, Mr. Robert Curry.

ROW 2: Carolyn Wright, Carol Dufford, Carol Timmons, Ann Vaughn, Faith Eads, Gay Garrett, Sandra Lewallen, Mary Lou McCalister, Jayne Whitten, Saramay Wiley, Mary Frances Fenton, Beverly Kent.

ROW 3: Bennie Harris, Patsy Haws, Sylvia Davis, Sara Shaffer, Marilyn Morey, Wilma Kirk, Henrie Bea Risen, Ann Fraley, Janet Becker, Linda Fugerson.

ROW 4: Jim Barnett, Maurice Ferris, Kipp Schuessler, Jean Gaynor, Graham LaRue, Barbara Cheatham, Judy Mideke.

ROW 1: Jeannie Dearing, Gayle Rodgers, Beverly Thomas, Lucretia Lurner, Yvonne Kelsoe, Norma Deffner, Alice Hodges, Sondra Hughes, Annette Fagin, Nelyne Hart, Miss Mary Cantrell.

ROW 2: Joyce Collins, Jeannie Marshall, Carolyn Otey, Opal Jane Smith, Becky Martin, Helen Chapburn, Margie Smith, Norma Lynch, Sue Beard, Claudette Kline, Karol Hughes, Gloria Lehat.

ROW 3: Carolyn Streetman, Diane Wilkins, Carolyn Sue Cross, Ruth Jorgensen, Jo Willard, Darlene Maples, Patsy Smith, Joyce Harwood, Carol Puckett.

ROW 4: Wilma Kirk, Carolyn Speck, Marlene Reger, Malasha Railey, Patsy McGrath, Aileen Key, Paty Dunham, Carolyn Roberts, Emma Leah Dalby, Don Cosgrove.

Commercial Club

The purpose of the Commercial Club is to promote interest in the business world, to encourage a social spirit, and to become familiar with modern progressive business methods and systems. All members of the Commercial Club hold jobs, and they have several parties throughout the year.



INSET ROW 1: Lucretia Turner, Yvonne Kelsoe, president; Norma Deffmer, secretary; Beverly Thomas, secretary. ROW 2: Alice Glasgow, Barbara Eichor, Phoebe Groseclose, Gayle Rogers. ROW 3: Dan Cosgrove, Bob Shahan.



Courtesy Club

Members of this organization are voted on by present members. The Courtesy Club ushers at school functions and is a service to Classen. The first and second semester officers are as follows: president, Lou Ann Montgomery; vice president, Covar Jeppe; president, Al Steadley; and vice president, Suzanne Stanley. Miss Della Link is Courtesy Club sponsor.

ROW 1: Carolyn Gee, Donna Powell, Mary Clayton, Shirley Ann Dodson, Betty Aikman, Lou Ann Montgomery, Covar Jeppe, Beth McMahan, Gloria Littrell, Marian Brown, Martha Reedy, Barbara Burbridge.

ROW 2: Martha Horn, JoAnna Haun, Mrs. Della Link, Deborah Ireland, Joyce Kirchner, Al Steakley, Carol Saulsberry, Margaret Holloway, Luella Cullimore, Carolyn Clarkson, Margaret Losey.

ROW 3: Page Dobson, Jim Yoes, Doug Matthews, Hyla Hyde, Sandra Davis, Kelvyn Cullimore, Bob Howell, Tom Terrill, Tinker Neff.

ROW 4: Sherrill Hudman, Dick Sparks, Bill Johnson, Dick Rosenstahl, Bob Webber, Joe Jones, Jim Miller, Ed Lyon, Johnny Perkins, Joe Clayton.

ROW 1: Miss Beth West, Nancy McLemore, Jimmy Wright, Frank McLaughlin, Carl Zellner, Jack Curren, Carole Dupree, George Sturm, Gwen Lewellen.

ROW 2: Sherrill Hudman, Georgia McKinnis, Gwendolyn Harrison, Gretchen Bond, Lillie Calvert, Rosemary Boeckman, Lou Ellen, Atteberry, Shirley Holton, Jean Bartlett, Diane Dean.

ROW 3: Gene Cook, Sidney Chupack, Ronald Ford, Joe Weaver, Pat Buckley, Bill Steddum, Don Miller, Darrell Chambless, Nobes Nicholl.

ROW 4: Don Payne, Jerry Holicay, Bernard Blake, Alvin Cole, David Rayburn, Dan Cheatham, Roy Chandler, Buddy Jones, Ray Payn.

Distributive Education

The purpose of the Distributive Education Club is to develop progressive leadership in the field of distribution that is competent, aggressive, self-reliant, and cooperative. The members of Distributive Education go to school a half-day and work a half-day. In this way members get a taste of the business world plus classroom instruction.



German Club

President—Lendel Hart
Vice President—Ross Wilson
Secretary—
Treasurer—Ellen Bendorf

The purpose of this organization is to further the interest of class members in the German language and people. The only requirement for membership is to be enrolled in a German class. Monthly meetings are held to hear lectures and reports in German.



ROW 1: Lyndal Helen Kuhn, Max Hibshman, Gary Goforth, Gretchen Vedder, Mr. Caldwell.
ROW 2: Mike Cralle, Ellen Bendorf, Freda White, Ben Miller, Warner Mobley.
ROW 3: James Buchanan, Jerry Freefield, Herschel Douglas, Robert Cuninghame, Jim Bagley.

Hi-Y

The Hi-Y organization is an outstanding organization in promoting government among youths. They participate annually in the model legislature program at the state capitol. Dick Jones is president of the group which is sponsored by the YMCA.



ROW 1: Mr. Gene Gilmer, Dick Fearnow—secretary, Johnny Hanks—chaplain, Dick Jones—president, George Soule—vice president, Jim Rice, Russell Hayes—sergeant at arms.
ROW 2: Jimmy Huff, Paul McDaniel, Frank Applequist, Frank Nelson, Gerald Haywood, Jerry Scott.
ROW 3: Bobby Good, Haven Reynolds, Jerry Wood, Jimmy Coulter, Jerry Karam, Max Berry, Alvin Naifeh—treasurer.



Junior Red Cross

President—Judy LeBlanc
Vice President—Lou Ann Montgomery.
Secretary—Beth McMahan
Treasurer—George Fowler
Community Service Chairman—Opal Jane Smith
Reporters—Nan Watkins and Nan Haun

The Junior Red Cross organization took an entertainment program to Will Rogers Veteran Hospital at Thanksgiving this year and packed the school chests. Members are elected as representatives from their advisory.

Each year, Junior Red Cross sponsors an assembly. All those that donate a quarter or more may attend.

ROW 1: Don Nelson, Miss Helen Bourke, Faith Himelfarb, Mike Stewart, Virginia Odle, Nan Watkins, George Fowler—treasurer, Judy LeBlanc—president, Opal Jane Smith, Beth McMahan—secretary, Sheri Hudson, Pat Fleming, Sara Shaffer, Bill Johnson.
ROW 2: Jacque Montgomery, Jane Houser, Ann Whitten, Carolyn Williams, Nan Davis, Deborah Ireland, Pat Conner, Mary Jane McDowell, Karen Oldfield, Mary Hall, Myrna Moore, Sally Miller, Patty Stout, Dolores Gordon, Paula Belzung.
ROW 3: Diane Harlow, Mary Glenda Morris, Margaret Ohls, Miriam Ferrin, Barbara Murray, Coleen Miller, Tom Cheatwood, Judy Mideke, Beverly Bonham, Jim Miller, Deane Rowland, Mary Mount, Carolyn Thompson.
ROW 4: Gayle Rodgers, Liz Wiggins, DiAnn Smith, Bryce Wolfe, Charles Blackwood, Don Ellison, Bob Curran, John Seward, Gerald Lyon, Henrie Bea Risen, Patty Jo Brown, Mary Beth Clasby, Mary Barber.

Science Club

President—Larry Collins
 Vice President—Bob Albrecht
 Secretary—Helen Chatburn
 Treasurer—John Rose
 Reporter—Bob Nelson
 Parliamentarian—
 Jere Osburn
 Sergeant at Arms—
 Jack Tech

To be eligible for membership in the Science Club, the applicant must have taken or be taking, or planning to take a course in science. This group has a program or demonstration at least once every two weeks and they try to take part in both the city and state science fairs. They also have several social events during the year.



ROW 1: Mrs. Geraldine Buzbee, John Batchelor, Larry Collins, Jere Osborn, Helen Chatburn, Kipp Schuessler, Virgil Browne.
 ROW 2: Bruce Batchelor, Jack Tech, James Buchanan, Van Hand, Joe Looney, Kent Malone, Don Nelson.
 ROW 3: Max Berry, Marvin Hart, Michael McPhearson, John Rose, Bob Nelson, Dennis Cubbinson, Mr. Glenn Powers.
 ROW 4: Jimmy Clapp, Bob Albrecht, Tom Griffy, George Soule, Burney Boyle.



KOKH-FM

The radio studio for KOKH-FM is located at Classen high-school and students from all of the senior high schools in the city may enroll. The members of this class make up the staff. KOKH-FM is on the air five hours of each school day broadcasting to elementary schools, junior highschools, senior highschools, and the general public.

ROW 1: Beverly Vaden, Donna Lawrence, DeLane Ryals.
 ROW 2: Ken Dacus, Jerry Gadd, Paul Abel, John Tice, Laura Johnson, Carolee Axtell, Ed Carithers, Don Perryman, Jack Appelquist, Dale Wehba, Susan Irwin.

Y-Teens

The Y-Teens meet twice a month in the evenings in the homes of the various members. They not only have worth-while projects, but also have many social activities. Throughout the school year they have held dances, picnics and parties; in February they held their annual sweetheart dance honoring their beau, Frank Applequist.



ROW 1: Ardeth Ainsworth, Mrs. Nola Moore, Elaine George, Marilyn Motley, Alice Rae Glasgow, Johnna Breckenridge, Helen McKanna, Pat Arnold.
 ROW 2: Mary Ann Sabo, Teddy Druce, Elaine Smith, Virginia Odle, Doris Stanton, Mary Lou McCalister, Beverly Lambert, Ronnie Dodson.
 ROW 3: Sally Burns, Sara Morgan, Karen Autry, Sue Murrah, Meredith Brower, Marian Garrett, Nancy Cullens, Frank Applequist.

Clinic Aids

This group provides first aid and promotes better health for Classen students. All clinic aids are either juniors or seniors.



ROW 1: Kay Haness, Mrs. Nola Moore, Anne Stewart.

ROW 2: Mary Jane Schelle, Mary McGee, Janie Price, Colleen Miller.

ROW 3: Shirley Suggs, Gretchen Vedder, Jane Hunt, Jerry Rader.

Cafeteria Staff

ROW 1: Grace Erwin, Pauline Sallee, Sadie Stoner, Cecal Burton.

ROW 2: Treva Sharp, Mary Jung, Mary Matthews, Mildred Evans.

ROW 3: Myra Ellis Ila Gorrell, Lottie Smith, Lucile Bozarth.

ROW 4: Gwendolen Lee, Betty Jones, Madge Galbraith, Emogene Walker.



Thanks should go to the cafeteria staff for providing the school with good meals every day. They work hard and certainly deserve a lot of credit.

Library Aids

Students who have a study hall often take the advantage of helping Miss Eunice Cockrum in the library. This is the group that helps make the library available to every Classen student.

ROW 1: Phyllis Boulton, Eleanor Austin, James Galbraith, Almeda Kessler, Marilyn Colwell.

ROW 2: Jerre Grimsley, Jack Trent, Ricki Reed.



Office Aids

Operating switchboards, taking messages to both teachers and students, collecting absentee cards, and other office work constitutes the job of an office aid. These students are under the direction of the office staff.



1ST ROW: Mary Barber, Johnnie Kloppenstein, Jeanne Marshall, Marilyn Davis, Louise Priddy, Jean Mauldin, Neva Baird, Jo Anna Haun, Pat Fleming.
 2ND ROW: Kay Stoll, Gayle Rogers, Elizabeth Wiggins, Mrs. Matthews, Mrs. Reba James, Mrs. Thelma Evans, Carolyn Jorski, Sally Thompson, Nancy Strickler, Gay Miller.
 3RD ROW: Debbie Williams, Carol Baker, Diane Wilkins, Mrs. Delma Harris, Beth McMahan, Opal Jane Smith, Suzanne Davis.
 4TH ROW: Carolyn Thornton, Beverly Dawson, Ann Hathaway, Patsy Meyer, Judy Belt, Al Steadley, Maurice Ferris, Marlys McCullough, Joan Drozansky, Paula Belzung.

ROW 1: Hirschel Douglas, Larry Brown, Mike Cralle.
 ROW 2: Mr. Hicks, Jerry Freefield, Tommy Cheetwood, John Atwood.
 ROW 3: Keith Ruhman, Jerry Beeson, Ray Rush, Eddie Sturm.



Visual Education

This group of boys are responsible for operating the moving picture projectors in either the projection room or individual classrooms. They also show film stripes, slides and make repairs on the machines.

Honor Language

To be eligible for membership in the Honor Language society, the student must have completed five semesters of work in the same language, and have at least a 3.5 average, and be enrolled in the sixth semester of that language.

President—Dick Sparks
Vice President—Bob Kruger
Secretary—Frances Byars
Treasurer—Joe Clayton



ROW 1: Miss Henrietta Von Tungeln, Doris Stanton, Jeannee Marshall, Marilyn Nicholas, Pat Fleming, Lou Ann Montgomery, Carol McDonald, Carol Baker, Diane Rowland, Miss Lelia Pickard.
ROW 2: Wanda Countryman, Mary Huckins, Carol Timmons, Galye Kinney, Dolores Wyatt, Gayle Rogers, Martha Stuart, Kay Donna Snipes, Christina Nagel, Donna Powell, Carolyn Chatburn.
ROW 3: Mary Ann Thompson, Anne Stewart, Ann Fraley, Suzanne Wilson, Sylvia Davis, Dolly Peek, Francis Byars, Carolyn Lovejoy, Beth McMahan, Harold Core.
ROW 4: Elizabeth Dill, Janet Sue Bassett, Nancy Bennett, Hyla Hyde, Pat Conner, Tinker Neff, Dieter Gassmann, Michael McPherson, Jimmy Cox, Hammet Hough, Robert Strong.

HONOR

ROW 1: Carol McDonald, Mrs. Reba Clark, Bob Kruger, Dick Sparks, Frances Byars, Joe Clayton, Carolyn Lovejoy.
ROW 2: Gwendolyn Harrison, James Horn, Ed Lyon, Eddie Sturm, Jimmy Biggers, Jimmy Clapp, Dick Worrell.
ROW 3: Doug Matthews, John Batchelor, Virgil Browne, John Caughron, Larry Collins, Clark Dougherty, John Millick, Johnny Perkins.
NOT PICTURED: Gail Denison.



Honor Math

This organization gives recognition to those at Classen who have done superior work in senior highschool mathematics and stimulates continued study in the field of mathematics. A student is eligible for membership during his fourth semester of senior highschool math, if he has previously made grades of "A."

National Art Honor Society

Students who have won national recognition in art work, make up the members of the National Art Honor Society. This small group is known as Classen's top artists. They excel in art and certainly deserve much credit.



ROW 1: Barbara Cheatham, Harriet Bernat, Jean Gaynor, Marietta Tunnell, Susie Myren, Mary Frances Fenton.
ROW 2: Bruce Cockran, Sallie Miller, Kipp Schuessler, Mary Lamb Lewis.

SOCIETIES

ROW 1: Miss Henrietta Von Tunglen, Sue Beard, Marilyn Nicholas, Betty Aikman (secretary), Frances Byers (treasurer), Ed Lyon (vice-president), Bob Kruger (president), Virgil Browne (Chaplain), Pat Flemming, Carol Baker, Diane Rowland, Carol McDonald.
ROW 2: Judy Belt, Judy Manjing, Sylvia Davis, Doris Stanton, Meredith Brower, Lucretia Turner, Sue Stoldt, Jo Anna Haun, Maytha Wagner, Carolyn Lovejoy, Carolyn Otey.
ROW 3: Beth McMahan, Donna Powell, Nancy Martin, Gayle Rogers, Mirian Ferrin, Pat Owen, Ava Fullerton, Page Dobson, Gail Dennison, Covar Jeppe, Joyce Collins, Jeanne Marshall.
ROW 4: Jimmy Clapp, Conrad Keil, Doug Matthews, Kelvyn Cullimore, John Batchelor, John Caughron, Dick Sparks, Eddie Sturm, John Perkins, James Horn.

National Honor Society

If you've been in the top 10 percent of your class as a sophomore and junior year you will be eligible for the Honor Society when you have completed one semester in your senior year. The top students in the junior class are also included. This is a national organization. Bob Kruger is president of the Classen chapter.



CHOIR



MERL CORNELIUS
Director

*Best Wishes
for a happy
and successful
future
Merl Cornelius*

Classen boasts an outstanding choir. The A Capella Choir, under the direction of Mr. Merl Cornelius, has been one of the most active groups in school. This group meets at 7:30 every school morning in order to prepare the various program that they present here at Classen as well as at other schools. Members of the choir feel that their time has been justified as being well spent. The student body has generally looked forward to each appearance of the group and hated to see their programs end. The A Capella choir manages to do more than just sing. They have social functions that include picnics, parties, and a banquet at the end of the year.

ROW 1—Penny Walker, Mahala Larason, Elizabeth Higgenbotham, Anna Lee Stewart, Jane Sewell, Morrisalene Kessler, Helen Ruth Chatburn, Teresa Lillard, Linda Melton, Tommy Hibshman, George Soule.

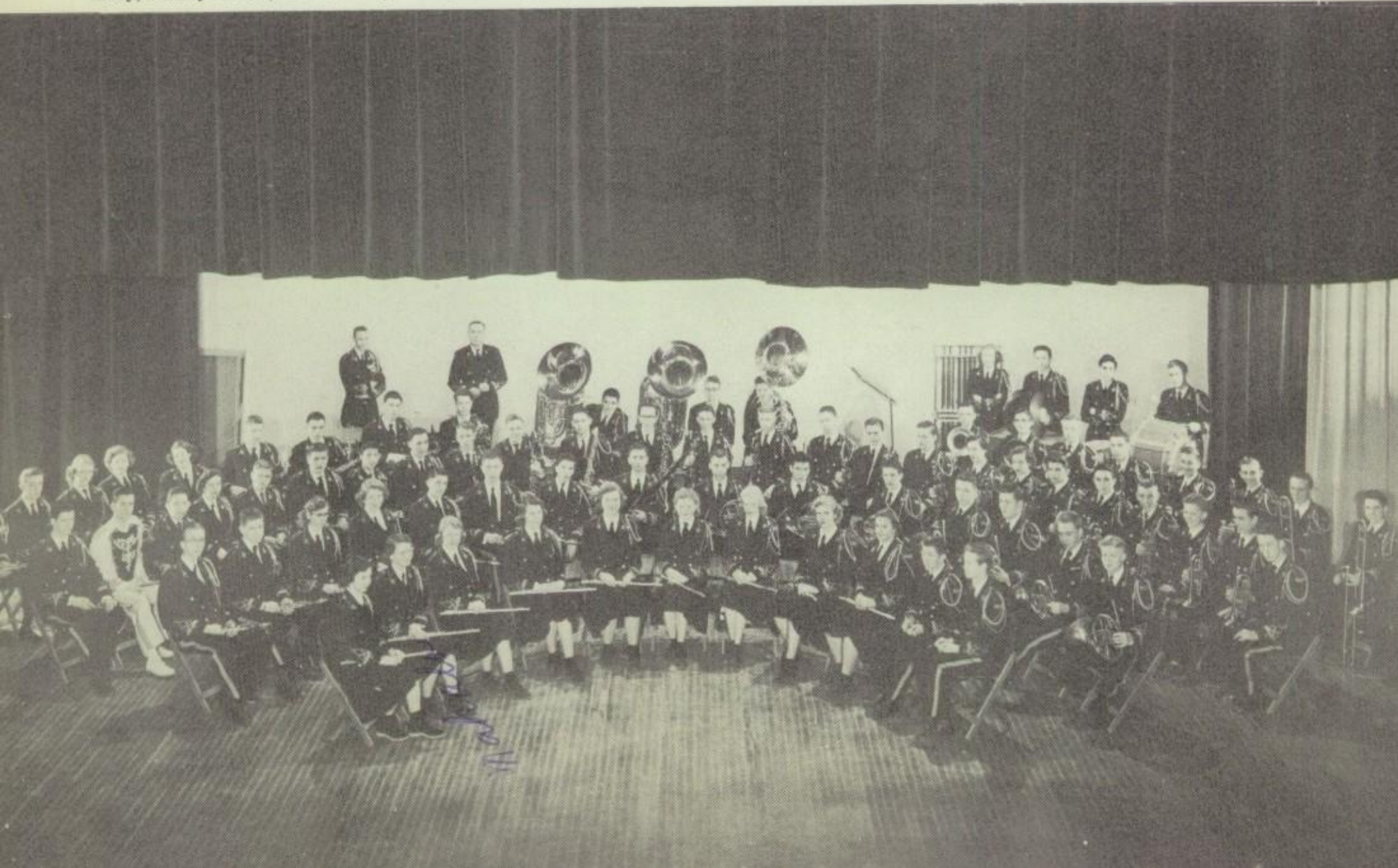
ROW 2—Albert Mulliken, Bob Smith, Eyrle Holcomb, Dianne Stubbs, Jimmy Huff, Bobby Leaf, Jim Underwood, Charles Hudson, Ernest Wotring, Clay Thompson, Dave Ooten, David Lee, Ernest Farmer, Don Shinn, Roger Louis.

ROW 3—John Scanlan, Tom Griffy, Carl Fagin, Wanda Stanfill, Eddie Nelson, Kent Malone, Robert Magid, Sam Waldie, Vernon Huey, Jimmy Moore, Dick Shirley, Larry Collins, Roy Hudson, Bob

Nelson, Robert Cunningham, Leigh Hill, Jerry Jensen, Beverly Belsky, Charlotte Belsky, Donald Sims, Jim Powers, Ted Griffy, Tom Manahan, J. W. Keller, Darrell Bittle.

ROW 4—Dumont Pickard, Don Cies, Vanette Robinson, Lenora Morgan, Elinore Galerston, Richard Mackey, Jerry Beeson, Charles Ellet, Bob Albrecht, Bricker Gibson, Jere Osburn, Edward Jones, John Watt, Robert Garrett, Charles Jobe, Byron Lamun, George Fabian, Jerry Mash, Charles O'Leary, Harold Walters, Jack Applequist.

STANDING—Delbert Wilburn, A. Johnson, Connie Roberson, Larry Prince, Milburn Hart, Page Dobson.





ROW 1—Gwen Durkee, Marian Brown, Cynthia Yeats, Nan Watkins, Nancy McLemore, Barbara Kenyon, Marilyn Nicholas, Ann Hathaway, Martha Stuart, Nadia Samara, Beverly Thomas, Emily Evans, Judy Hitt, Kaye Braden, Beverly Sherman, Margaret Woodruff, Coralee Jones.

ROW 2—Norma Pritchard, Marilyn Davis, Patty Stout, Marilyn Wright, Clara Jean Martin, Nancy Martin, Lynday Helen Kuhn, Sally McClland, Jane Akers, Sherry Barnes, Laura Johnson, Jeanne

Sullivan, Gayle McDonald, Carolyn Davis, Gail Jones, Liz Wiggins. ROW 3—Kathryn Glasgow, Jack Trent, Bill Chappel, Bobby Scales, Ernie Wootring, Roger Donelson, Robert Jarman, Bob Curran, Giles Gere, Bob Case, Claude Harris, Bob Schnorrenburg, Mike Whalen, Don Sims, Mary Ellen Miller.

ROW 4—Oku Harvey, C. A. Keil, Bill Littleton, Mike Stuart, Bob Burns, Bobby Good, Bill Feldshaw, Byron Lamun, Chuck McClelland, Jim Barnes, Dick Francis, Roy Magers, John Belt.

The band has been a big contributor to school spirit. They played at all home football games and at the game in Enid. They have marched in various parades such as the Christmas parade, the "89er" day parade and the opening of Classen Boulevard. They entertained the students at Classen, Taft, and Harding with a concert that demonstrated a high degree of skill.

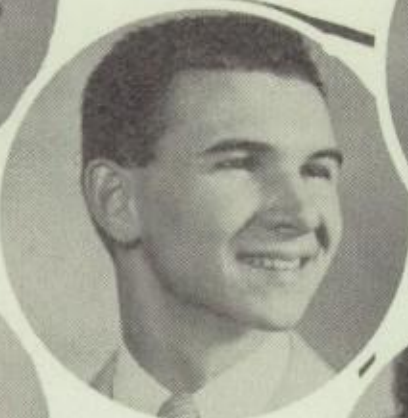
The band always places high in the state contests. Mr. Johnson is the expert conductor to whom the band owes much of its credit.



ARTHUR JOHNSON
Director



MADRIGAL CHORUS



LEFT to RIGHT—Liz Wiggins, Mike Stuart, Bill Littleton, Claude Harris, Byron Lamun.
Cynthia Yeats, Kaye Braden, Wiltoma Jones, Marion Brown, Nan Watkins.

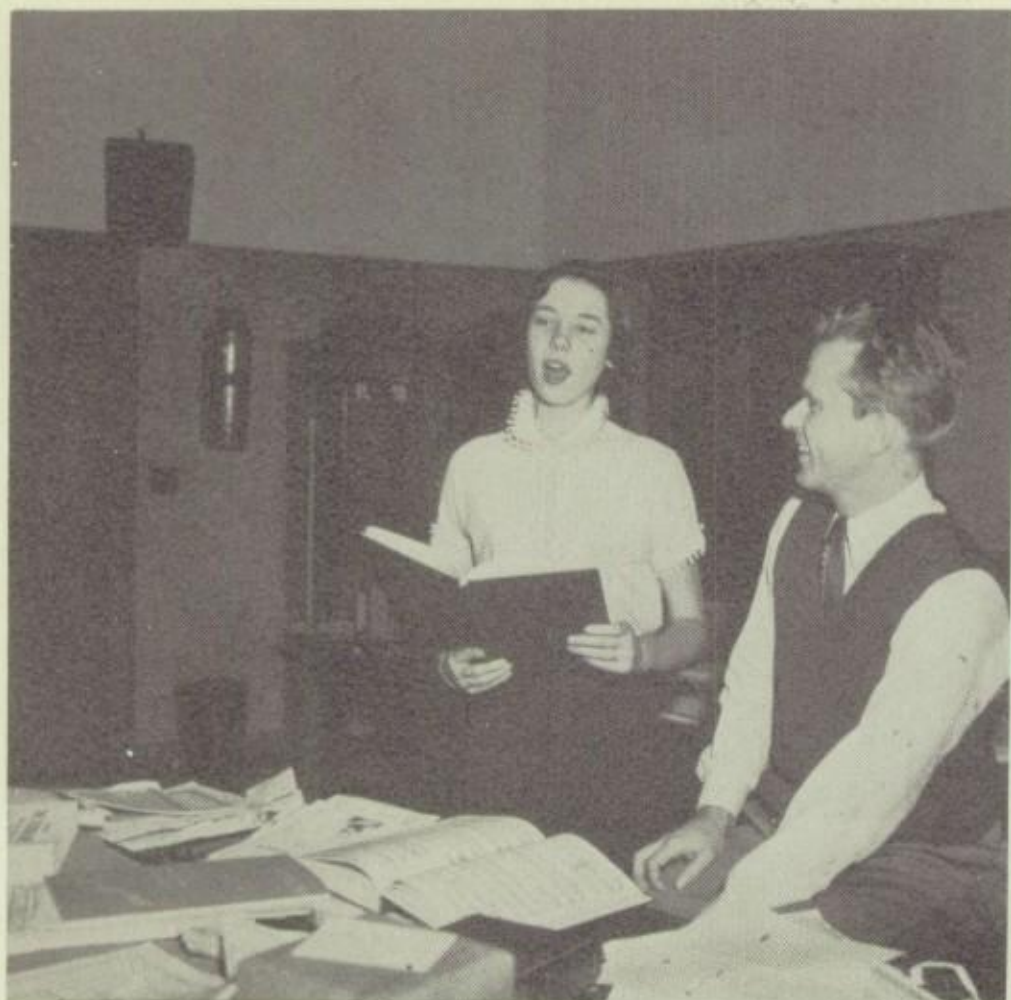
The Madrigal Chorus is a group composed of select mixed voices from the A Capella Choir; a boys quartet and a girls sextet. They practice the last half of their lunch hour. This group was organized only last year. Among their performances during the past year, they participated in choir programs; a formal recital for friends and parents in May; assembly programs; P.T.A.; entertaining church groups; have broadcast three madrigals for KOKH-FM; also recorded a madrigal for the Red Cross Album.

Pep Band



The Pep Band consists of about twenty two members. They support our football and basketball games. They contribute a large amount to our school spirit. The idea of the small size, is that it makes moving around much easier. If you attend the basketball games you will not fail to see the Pep Band, also they are present at many of the out of town games.

ROW 1—Charles O'Leary, Harold Walters, Jerry Mash, Milburn Hart, Jere Osborn, Jerry Jensen, Kent Malone, George Soule.
ROW 2—Jimmy Huff, Eddie Nelson, Robert Cunningham, Albert Mullikin, Roy Hodson, Dumont Pickard, Brick Gibson.
ROW 3—John Scanlan, Bob Albrecht, Elven Keller, Darrell Bittle, Bob Smith, John Watt, Robert Garrett.



"Now Lulu lets try for high C," says Mr. Cornelius to Lucinda Howe during girls Glee Club. The two seem to be enjoying their work—Lucinda her singing, and Mr. Cornelius his one-fingered opus.



Mr. Johnson says Bruce Cochran would do much better if he would stop reading comic books in Sooner rehearsals. Pictured here are: Bruce Cochran, Charles Ellet, John Scanlan, and Darrell Bittle.

SOONERS

Classen's dance band, the Sooners, was organized in 1943. The purpose of this organization is to entertain at school functions as well as outside activities. They recently played for the Coronation of the Friendship Prince and Princess.

Piano, Jim Barnes (left), John Seward (right)
ROW 1—Bruce Cochran, Bob Albrecht, Charles Ellet, Richard Mackey, John Scanlan, Albert Mullikin.

ROW 2—Don Sims, Darrell Bittle, Elven Keller, Jerry Mash, Charles O'Leary.
ROW 3—Milburn Hart, Delbert Wilburn, Jack Applequist.



Group I



FIRST ROW: Ed Wagner, Doug Matthews, Dan Costley, Jerry Van Nort, Tom Terrill, Carolyn Gee, Bob Kruger, Ralph May, Anthony Smith, Byron Lamun, Chuck McClelland.

SECOND ROW: Bob Weber, Hammet Hough, Joel Hefley, Jimmy Clapp, Giles Gere, David Nienhaus, Kipp Schuessler, Gary Goforth, Page Dobson, Virgil Browne, Mr. Collis B. England.

THIRD ROW: Philip Rudolph, Don Nelson, Jere Osburn, Bob Shahan, Gail Denison, Homer Cary, John Batchelor, Jake Hoover, Gary Ryan, Phil Lee.

FOURTH ROW: C. F. Miller, Bruce Cochran, David Randal, Brice Wolfe, Milburn Hart, Albert Mullikin, Charles O'Leary, Jerry Mash, Darrell Bittle, Elvin Keller.

BLUE JACKETS PEP CLUB



Group II

FIRST ROW: Ed Wagner, C. F. Miller, Bob Webber, Jerry Van Nort, Doug Matthews, Carolyn Gee, Bob Kruger, Dan Costley, Anthony Smith, Byron Lamun, Ralph May, Tom Terrill, Mike Whalin.

SECOND ROW: Jim Rice, Earnie Wotring, David Wilson, Larry Busch, J. M. Williford, Wesley Hoyle, John Wilcox, Verden Spurlock, Kent Hanson, Joe Looney, Charles Blackwood.

THIRD ROW: Bob Smith, Don Birdwell, Danny Burnell, Bud Britton, Brad Thompson, Don Remington, Joe Mosley, Hammet Hough, Stuart Clark, Ken Dacus, Mr. James Hicks.

FOURTH ROW: Russell Hays, Sam Fryer, Ed Jones, Jack Tech, John Rose, Jack Sailer, Joe Garrett, William Owen, Don Shinn.



Group III

FIRST ROW: Don Cies, Kipp Schuessler, Ronny Fost, Jimmy Moore, Carolyn Gee, Bobby Clapp, Dick Rosenstahl, Hi Young, Tom Griffy.

SECOND ROW: Kent Flemming, Neal Horton, Roy Magers, Bruce Batchelor, John McKinney, J. R. Wolfe, Jerry Robinson, Carl Fagin.

THIRD ROW: Paul Schwartz, Charley Corkens, Gene Thompson, Clay Thompson, Harold Walters, Islo Ashmore, Leland Massad, Bruce Bell, Jim Hathaway.

FOURTH ROW: Dick Jones, Lynne Draper, Mack McClain, John Roper, Dick Shirley, Ronald McAfee, Jimmie McDonnald, Larry Emmer, George Fabian.

BLUE JACKETS PEP CLUB

Group IV



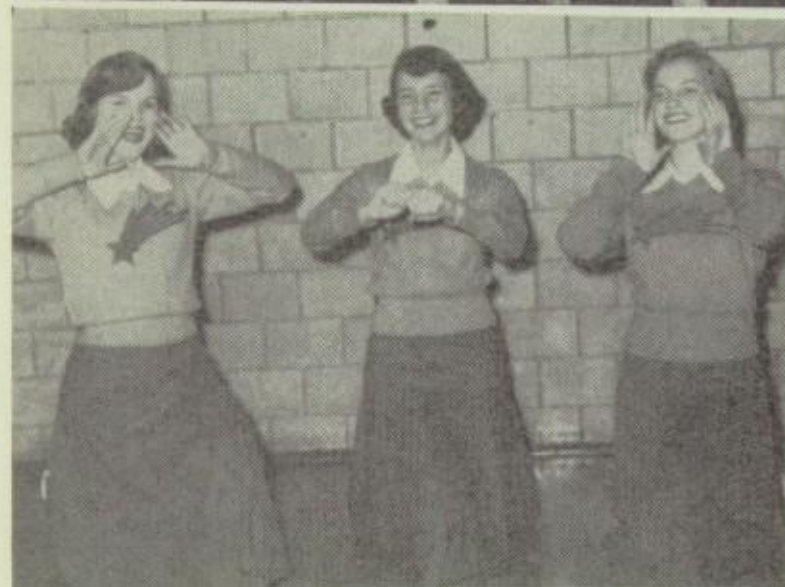
FIRST ROW: Kipp Schuessler, Don Cies, Ronny Fost, Jimmy Moore, Carolyn Gee, Bobby Clapp, Dick Rosenstahl, Hi Young, Tom Griffy, Richard Rector.

SECOND ROW: David Lee, John Watt, Bobby Cornforth, James White, Charles Fagin, Leigh Hill, Jerry Jensen, Pete Lee, John Bunnell, Paul Mogridge.

THIRD ROW: Lewis McKinney, Larry Plemmons, David Jones, Owen Lafferty, Dave Ooten, Ribby Bright, John Janovy, Dick Neff, Louis Mosley.

FOURTH ROW: Ronald Jackson, Lannie Trotter, Vann Hand, Jim Hippen, Bob Garrett, Bernie Boyle, Laurie Oldham, John Belt.

Group I



ROW 1: Carolyn Sue Cross, Delores Brown, Susan Hoover—sergeant at arms, Myralin Gallaspy—sergeant at arms, Lou Ann Montgomery—reporter, Louise Priddy—treasurer, Paula Blezung—secretary, Betty Aikman—president, Mary Hall—vice president, Pat Fleming—sergeant at arms, Nancy Strickler—sergeant at arms, Maytha Wagner—parliamentarian, Diane Rowland—historian, Patty Mason.

ROW 2: Patsy Haggard, Barbara Alspaugh, Barbara Bressie, Carolyn Belise, Pat Bonham, Faith Eads, Johna Breckenridge, Nadia Samara, Mary Lou Cheatham, Janice Caulkins, Clydene Sexton, Catherine Crain, Kagay Strickland, Betty Jezeh, Pat Wright.

ROW 3: Betty Keetch, Kay Brooks, Jane McCloud, Claudia Blake, Elaine George, Linda Shadid, Sharyn Walcott, Ruth Jorgensen, Judy Mideke, Janet Marvel, Jane Barrow, Mary Clayton, DiAnn Smith, Patty Stout, Barbara Coil.

ROW 4: Barbara Cook, Elizabeth Prince, Kay Simons, Martha Williams, Evalyn Adams, Marilyn Davis, Judy LeBlanc, Marilyn Wright, Mildred Rice, Kaye Fagler, Janice Cook, Carolyn Davis, Elaine Cupp, Phyllis Warren.

Martha Horn, Carol Saulsberry, and Nancy Strickler, first semester cheerleaders, tell us, "Here's the way you yell it, Classettes! Classettes! Classettes! Classettes!"

CLASSETTES

Group II



ROW 1: Frances Byars, Lou Ann Montgomery—sergeant at arms, Susan Hoover—sergeant at arms, Pat Fleming—reporter, Mary Hall—vice president, Phil Conley—mascot, Betty Aikman—president, Cathie Miracle—mascot, Johna Powell—secretary, Louise Priddy—parliamentarian, Paula Belzung—sergeant at arms, Maytha Wagner—sergeant at arms, Diane Rowland—historian, Miss Ophelia Byars.

ROW 2: Martha Thornton, Carolyn Quick, Beverly Dawson, Barbara Kenyon, Diane Harris, Joyce Collins, Wiltoma Jones, Gloria Littrell, Marilyn Peck, Pat Head, Wanda Harvey, Joyce Harris, Etolia Lundy, Shirley Smith, Jan Saxon, Mary Frances Fenton.

ROW 3: Ann Stephens, Shirley McGuire, Carol Timmons, Carolyn Wright, Sandra Lewallen, Helen Chatburn, JoAnna Haun, Lucretia Turner, Colleen Miller, Sallie Miller, Yvonne Kelsoe, Sue Stoldt, Marilyn Dorff, Mary Hill.

ROW 4: Beverly Gillespie, Meredith Brower, Ava Lee Fullerton, Janet Sue Bassett, Almeda Kessler, Gayle Rogers, Pat Owen, Jan Veech, Ann Townley, Ann Harwood, Jeanne Howland, Liz Wiggins, Marilyn Patric, Marjorie Moreland.



ROW 1: Mary Jane McDowell, Muriel McMillan, Marilyn Lagneau, Sherri Hudson, Patsy McGrath, Gayle McDonald, Mariana Garrett, Kay Donna Snipes, Dianne Harlow, Nancy Mason, Cynthia Yeats, Donna Lawrence, Sharon Massad, Bunny Brown, Mary Beth Clasby.

ROW 2: Elizabeth Hodges, Barbara Murray, Carolyn Williams, Sally Freel, Marlene Reger, Betty Elledge, Sandra Lipstet, Darlene Maples, Vada Mustion, Penny Walker, Carolyn Ragland, Virginia Leopold, Lucy Bo Wheeler, Carol Gately, Betty Jane Reed.

ROW 3: Loralyn Bomar, Sue Ragland, Nan Davis, Sara McCuiston, Jeanine Browning, Carol Silvernail, Gay Miller, Georgia Lee Glenn, Teddie Brassie, Rose Mary Henry, Glenda Chappel, Beverly Belski, Charlotte Belski, Cherry Hadlock, Carolyn Ryan.

ROW 4: Mary Barber, Mike Rafferty, Wanda Countryman, Pat Clemments, Sharyl Crowe, Jo Beverly McGee, Charlene Wilson, Sherry Barnes, Mary Ellen Miller, Joyce Thomas, Nancy Voth, Sue Barton, Eileen Bodenheimer, Jeanne Sullivan, Barbara Cheatham.

CLASSETTES

Carol Saulsberry and Nancy Strickler, cute Classette cheerleaders, led the club, "With a C, with a C, with a Class, with an e, with an e, with ettes," during the second semester.



Group IV



ROW 1: Pat Conner, Deborah Ireland, True Smith, Cloma Hudson, Gretchen Van Meter, Vanessa Thacker, Joyce Taylor, Beverly Mankin, Wanda Lou Phillips, Pat Tyson, Marilyn Richardson, Phoebe Slate, Clairenell Clemons, Carol Saulsberry, Carol Loman.

ROW 2: Marilyn Urban, Patty Dunham, Maxine Sanders, Kay Hanness, Hilda Simering, Eleanor Cline, Pat Maloney, Mary Collins, Terry Tatten, Carolyn Brown, Carol Ann Gesford, Sherry Crawford, Mary Ann Sabo, Sally McClelland, Luella Cullimore, Marilyn Baldwin.

ROW 3: Karen Oldfield, Jan Elder, Norma Pritchard, Elloui Harwood, Sandra Janet Burgrafi, Connie Huff, Connie Blinns, Nancy Holland, Jane Sewell, Leah Pummil, Leah Higbee, Martha Horn, Marilyn Strong.

ROW 4: Carolyn Chatburn, Bobbie Greenhaw, Gayle Atwood, Ansoleah Cooley, Linda Dunn, Phyllis Douglas, Claudia Chapman, Julie Weiss, Mary Ann Grantham, Patsy Holt, Kathanel Luse, Judy Early.

Group I



First semester cheer leader Jeanne Marshall and Shirley Suggs, with mascot Bill Thompson.



ROW 1: Suzie Lebenson, Jayna Whitten, Margery Cooper, Carolyn Gee, Carolyn Carroll, Beth McMahan, Opal Jane Smith (treasurer), Suzanne Stanley (vice president), Marian Brown (president), Ginger Highleyman (secretary), Leah Hayes (assistant secretary), Covar Jeppe, Margaret Losey, Shirley Suggs, Jeanne Marshall, Carol Puckett.

ROW 2: Mrs. Lyda Marshall, Janie Dyche, Mona Sanders, Ruth Theiman, Phoebe Groseclose, Joyce Kirchner, Hyla Hyde, Marilee Davidson, Sandra Pennington, Denna Lowery, Carolyn Otey, Eleanor Austin, Dianne Stubbs, Rae Estelle Hostetter, Patsy Deen, Nancy Inge.

ROW 3: Lillian Morgan, Claudette English, Frances Rush, Joan Dorzansky, Wanda Standfill, Carolyn Haskins, Alice Evans, Katheryn Glasgow, Teresa Lillard, Jean Hinderson, Sandra Landis, Nancy Neel, Peggy Larson, LaRue Graham, Linda Fleming, Shirley Barker, Jane Lane.

ROW 4: Lenora Inge, Margaret Gober, Barbara Nichols, Wilma Kirk, Janice May, Kay Robertson, Phyllis Wright, Susan Diwocky, Carole Sharp, Carol Brown, Sally Thompson, Sally Riley, Jean Gaynor, Eileen Prag, Barbara Stephens.

ROW 1: Jane Akers, June Akers, Carolyn Jones, Ann LeFlore, Virginia Snell, Mohonna Kennedy, Connie Roberson, Marsha Pace, Helen McKanna, Marian Long, Virginia Lafferty, Gayla Martin, Virginia Foster, Linda Shelton, Carolyn Streetman, Beverly Thomas.

ROW 2: Linda French, Mary Mount, Shelby Ruscha, Shirley Champeau, Marie Little, Janyce Shorbe, Dolly Peek, Jo Carol Martyn, Carol Lee Dennis, Sylvia Stoutz, Margaret Holloway, Joan Boxley, Ann Fraley, Henrie Bea Risen, Cristina Nagel, Deborah Williams.

ROW 3: Patty Husband, Jackie Thompson, Joan Gordon, Arthetta White, Judy Harrison, Joyce Harrison, Joyce Appleton, Marilee Parrish, Jane Fellingham, Gloria Otey, Suzie Wilson, Mary Huckins, Laura Johnson, Betty Lively, Susie Myren, Barbara Hines.

ROW 4: Emma McKenzie, Carolyn Thompson, Eileen Smith, Beverly Malone, Ann Crowe, Margie Smith, Joyce Hill, Mariella Mooney, Carolee Axtell, Anna Lee Stewart, Connie Jones, Johnna Farley, Patsy Ferguson, Shirley Moore, Patty Gardner, Peggy Campbell.

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Group III



Just working with you in Comes has been
wonderful. Best of luck always to a darling
girl. Love, Carolyn Carrole mma KAT

Group II

Second semester cheer-
leaders Janet Palmer
and Leah Rae Hayes,
with mascot, Janie
Thompson.



ROW 1: Martha Reedy, Janet Palmer, Suzanne Stanley, Opal Jane Smith, Margaret Losey, Ginger Highleyman, Marian Brown, Phoebe Groschlose (treasurer), Beth McMahan (vice president), Carolyn Carroll (president), Covar Jeppe (secretary), Nan Watkins (assistant secretary), Pat Puckett, Myrna Moore, Leah Hayes, Dianne Moss, Saramay Wiley.

ROW 2: Miss Mary Pruitt, Miriam Ferrin, Lois Tonini, Pat Mulvey, Bernice Mathais, Virginia Watson, Patsy Smith, Mary Morris, Barbara Messenbaugh, Mary Nelson, Mary Kay Cornett, Janice Seligson, Margaret Graham, Eyrline Holcomb, Joanne Veale, Donna Evans.

ROW 3: Betty McFadden, Martha Huffman, Jo Ann Burney, Carol Dufford, Gretchen Vedder, Donna George, Elizabeth Higginbotham, Lanora Morgan, Bobbie Ferguson, Roberta Reddick, Alice Lay, Sara Garvin, Susy Neeley, Elizabeth Dill, Carolyn Burton, Grace Marko.

ROW 4: Carolyn Lovejoy, Lavita Auer, Jo Willard, Carol Keller, Carol Baker, Ann Hathaway, Sylvia Sutherland, Barbara Davis, Jeanette Brake, Patsy Denham, Ann Lynn, Nancy Cullins, Doris Stanton, Nancy Wotring, Judith Coontz, Lucinda Howe.

ROW 1: Drucilla Pemberton, Jackie Hopkins, Dorothy Cravens, Patsy Haws, Virginia Odle, Sue Murrah, Jane Kroeger, Beverly Bonham, Nan Hosmer, Donna Jones, Mary Lou McCalister, Rita Whitaker, Carol Brady, Alice Burton, Nancy Smith, Paula Coffey, Janey Potts.

ROW 2: Peggy Eastman, Jo Anne Johnson, Lillian Burrow, Mary Louise Davis, Emma Leah Dalbey, Carolyn Roberts, Denise Daniel, Charleen Bollinger, Sharon Connolly, Mary Ann Mathias, Barbara Hollis, Ann Fallaschek, Barbara Burbridge, Shirley Ann Dodson, Pat Prichard, Melba Rutledge, Eddith Smith.

ROW 3: Vicki Campbell, Charlyne Clark, Barbara Black, Teddy Druce, Elaine Schuster, Mary Ann Roring, Mary Ann Bozalis, Betty Jo Meadows, Anita McCullough, Chris Oak, Pauline Morrison, Aileen Key, Carolyn Speck, Charlene Schem, Carolyn Davis, Burness Berkey, Pat Conine.

ROW 4: Margaret Hyden, Sara Morgan, Ardith Ainsworth, Sally Burns, Karan Autry, Sue Ingram, Kenlynn Maxwell, Jeanne McClelland, Gayla Honea, Mary Ann Thompson, Ann Whitten, Malacha Railey, Alice Buchanan, Sally Berry, Carol Marshall.



Group IV

Comes, one of Classen's outstanding pep clubs is very active in supporting the schools sport events. Besides the picnics, mixers, and spring dance they also entertain the football boys at a banquet. Mrs. Lyda Marshall and Miss Mary Pruitt are Comes sponsors this year.



ROW 1: Dick Fearnow, Buck Cargill, J. D. Casey, Grid Jarmon, Vice-president; Elinor Unruh, Queen; Harold Messenger, President; Oscar Ballard, Secretary; Herby Roberts, John Galbraith, Mr. Charles A. Hale, Jr.
 ROW 2: Phillip Conley, Ed Carithers, Roger Donelson, Sidney Jones, Eddie Seagraves, Jimmy Coulter, Don Smith Benton Clark, Jack Bledsoe, Donald Sharpe.
 ROW 3: Gar Gravelle, Dean Williams, Don Miller, Larry Clark, Dick Dowling, Jerry Fine, Charles Ellet, Ronald Sloan, Johnny Mitchell, Robert Kenny.
 ROW 4: Mike Penn, Rodney Coulter, Bill Feldshaw, Humbert Conner, David Dear, Jared Hazelton, Robert Strong, Bill Claunch, Dick Redmond.

METEORS

The purpose of the Meteor Pep Club is primarily to support our school athletic events, but it also provides friendship, entertainment, and interest in school activities for its members. Requirements to be a Meteor are: pledge from twelve to sixteen weeks, be initiated, have a jacket, and attend all meetings and school functions.

ROW 1: Jerry Karam, Secretary; J. E. Casey, Harold Messenger, Treasurer; Herby Roberts, President; Elinor Unruh, Queen; Frank Nelson, Oscar Ballard, Vice-President; Humbert Conner, Larry Ferree, Mr. Charles A. Hale, Jr.
 ROW 2: Dick Fearnow, Terry Finley, Mike Fagan, Jerry McWilliams, Milton Nichols, Charles Berry, Reggie Hall, David Fisher.
 ROW 3: Jim Lowe, Martin Tebrinke, Conrad Keil, Jack Donelson, Don Hayes, Dan Riddell, Jim Carr, Joe Morgan, Bob Martin.
 ROW 4: Frank Bradburn, John Nickell, Terry Smith, Jerry Mitchell, Harold Core, John Galbraith, Bobby Good, Treasurer; Coy Brite.





ROW 1: Larry Thrower, Paul Culter, Jerry Karam, J. D. Casey, Herb Roberts, Elinor Unruh, Frank Nelson, Larry Ferree, David Fisher, Mr. Charles A. Hale, Jr.
 ROW 2: Don Bass, Gib Neville, Bob Thomas, Bill Baker, Jim White, Lorin Daniels, Kenneth Daniels, Harold Messenger.
 ROW 3: Bob Leaf, Dick Fearnow, George King, Vernon Huey, Ronny Thrower, Jim Carr, Byron McFall.
 ROW 4: Richard Mackey, Eugene Wood, Kermit Clark, Robert Vernon, Jimmy Huff, Bob Been, Robert Lewallen, Jerry Roberts.



METEORS

John Galbraith, Paul Cutler, Bobby Good, and Herb Roberts with their queen, Elinor Unruh, take time out for the pause that refreshes at a basketball game played in the Classen gym.



It seems like the jokes in the Meteor bulletin box must be very interesting. At least J. D. Casey, Oscar Ballard and Eddie Seagraves think so.

No, that's not a compact that Harold Messenger is giving to Herbie Roberts. It is an identification bracelet which was presented to Herbie at the annual Meteor Shirt-Tail Stomp.

Pep Council

The Pep Council consists of the presidents and one representative from each Pep Club and "O" Club, also the school cheerleaders and sponsors of the Pep Clubs. Mr. Weinert is the chairman.

The council directs the election of the cheerleaders, Comet Capers, concession stands at the games, and it supervises taking new members into Pep Clubs.



ROW 1: Marian Brown; Mrs. Lyda Marshall; Carolyn Carroll; Suzie Beard; Beth McMahan; Jo Anna Haun; Miss Ophelia Byars; Mary Hall.

ROW 2: Mr. Duane Weinert, Mr. Charles A. Hale, Jr., Barbara Barge, Almeda Kessler, Miss Mary Pruitt, Betty Aikman, Harold Messenger, Herbie Roberts.

ROW 3: Oscar Ballard, Roger Louis, Tom Terrill, Johnny Perkins, Jerry Mitchell, Mr. Collis England, Doug Matthews, Mr. Richard Hicks.

SPORTS



1ST ROW: Jim Groseclose, Craig Schafer, Snookie Winters, Jake Hoover, Bob Scruggs, Dick Worrell, Jerry Van Nort, Johnny Perkins, Dick Sparks.

2ND ROW: Joe Weaver, Teddy Tomes, Steve Janger, Jerry Salyer, Bennie Sharp, Jim Ingram, Ned Spence, Phillip Rudolph, Dick Hall, Jerry Forbes, Clay Davis.

3RD ROW: Jerry Mitchell, Jerry Powell, Humbert Conner, Jim Cox, Tom Spear, Jim Merz, Phil Easlon, Bill Pinkerton, Joe Monk, Howdy Young, David Willhoite.

4TH ROW: Joe Mosley, Phil Lambke, Gene Hazelwood, Bill Brabits, Harold Couch, Dan Ketchem, Jack Shaffer, Larry Nichols, Dale Milligan, David Flemming.

5TH ROW: Keith Ballard, George Susens, Gary Johnson, Ed Lyon, Joe Jones, Rene Crothers, Teddy Smith, Keith Ruhman, Jerry Hoke, Burt Mann, Dal Christensen.

Boys "O" Club

The Boys "O" Club has a membership of between 50 to 60 boys who have lettered in different sports such as football, basketball, track, swimming, wrestling, and baseball. Mr. Clayton Davis is the sponsor of the "O" club. Many of the "O" clubbers make it a habit to become Proctors.



Individual Sports "O" Club

ROW 1: Joyce Prichard, Marietta Tunnell, Sue Beard, Pat Arnold.
ROW 2: Libby Skalovsky, Mrs. Jan Hedrick, Judy Manning, Sarah Shaffer. ROW 3: Ann Lynn, Margaret Whale, Elizabeth Wiggins, Kathleen Braughton.



Team Sports

ROW 1: Sue Stoldt, Barbara Barge, Charlyne Clark, Norma Deffner.
ROW 2: Sue Casey, Mrs. Jan Hedrick, Almeda Kessler, Lillian Burrow, Jeannie Dearing. ROW 3: Linda Melton, Carol Brown, Rozanna Grossman, Jo Willard. ROW 4: Margaret Hyden, Mary Ann Leaf, Sandra Kirby, Margie Smith.

S P E E C H



President, Ronnie Thompson
 Vice-President, Carolyn Williams
 Secretary, Margaret Losey
 Treasurer, Paul Swartz
 Historian, Ed Cariethers
 Sgt.-at-Arms, Laura Johnson
 Susan Diwokey
 Harry Scott

Anyone at Classen may become a member of this organization. They reorganized this year. This group provides the announcers for C.S.S. and have talks by men from W.K.Y. and other radio stations. They take field trips during the year.

Announcers Club

ROW 1: Saramay Wiley, Janet Palmer, Mary Jane McDowell, Carolyn Williams, Paul Schwartz, Susan Diwokey, Margaret Losey, Laura Johnson, Marsha Huffman, Nan Davis.
 ROW 2: Gretchen VanMatre, Teddy Bressie, Rosemary Henry, Ann Vaughn, Alice Lay, Luella Cullimore, Ed Carithers.
 ROW 3: Janie Dyche, Phyllis Boulton, Donna Jones, Sylvia Shinn, Christina Nagel, Faith Himelfarb, Brad Thompson.
 ROW 4: Karen Oldfield, Dick Rosenstahl, Dan Costly, Bobbie Ferguson, Pat Evans.



Debaters

This group, which is especially interested in debate, has a class under the direction of Mr. Gerald Kidd. They work hard but it really pays off. The group has won many trophies and blue ribbons.

ROW 1: Doug Matthews, Jim Powers, Harold Messenger, Jimmy Clapp, Margaret Losey, Dan Costley, Virgil Browne, Fred Wilhoite, Ralph May.
 ROW 2: Clark McPhail, Janice Butler, George King, Shirley Tarrant, Andy Haswell, Carl Fagin, Mr. Gerald Kidd.
 ROW 3: Bob Martin, Paul Schwartz, Paul McDaniel, Jared Hazelton, Benton Clark, Sidney Jones, Alvin Naifeh.
 ROW 4: Jack Bledsoe, Tom McGee, John Caughron, Bob Webber, Hammet Hough, Brick Gibson, Jimmy White.

Little Theater



1ST ROW: Rosemary Henry, Pat Fleming, Marilyn Peck, Betty Aikman, Gloria Littrell, Donna Powell, Harry Scott, Ronny Thompson, Susan Diwoy, Bob Webber, Ralph May, Miss Rose Marie Smith.

2ND ROW: Marilyn Baldwin, Johnna Breckenridge, Roberta Reddick, Bobbie Ferguson, Yvonne Kelsoe, Mary Huckins, Elaine Schuster, Janet Palmer, Betty McFadden, Laura Johnson, Carolyn Williams, Karen Oldfield, Alvin Naifeh.

3RD ROW: Charles Fagin, Marilyn Motley, Mary Kay Cornett, Carolyn Cross, Nancy Martin, Phyllis Wright, Carolee Axtell, Clara Martin, Mary Jane McDowell, Marsha Huffman, Roger Brawley, Pat Tyson.

4TH ROW: Joyce Foster, Saramay Wiley, Elizabeth Dill, Ann Lynn, Kay Robertson, Cristina Nagel, Jim Hippen, John Caughron, Giles Gere, Paul Schwartz.

The Little Theater creates an active interest in dramatic art among high school students. Understudies are promoted to full fledged members when they earn twenty points by various methods such as ushering for school plays and making posters to advertise their productions. The organization sponsors all dramatic productions of the school.

Understudies



ROW 1: Miss Rose Marie Smith, Alice Buchanan, Sylvia Shinn, Virginia Leopold, Lucy Boe Wheeler, Nancy Wotring, Linda French, Sherry Crawford, Suzan Neely, John Caughron, Beverly Thomas, Ann Vaughn.

ROW 2: Eleanor Kliene, Dianne Harlow, Janet Marvel, Jane Kroeger, Georgia Glenn, Teddy Bressie, Jane Barrow, Martha Horn, Eileen Smith, Elizabeth Hodges.

ROW 3: Peggy Eastman, Carol Marshall, Beverly Bonham, Jane Fellingham, Judy Early, Mary Ann Roring, Faith Eads, Pauline Morrison, Tresa Lillard, True Smith, Marianna Garrett.

ROW 4: Bernice Mathis, Cris Oaks, Carolyn Belisle, Janice May, Alice Lay, Luella Cullimore, Dick Rosenstahl, Earnie Wotring, Barbara Alspaugh, Jerry Mash, Carl Fagin, Gretchen Van Matre.



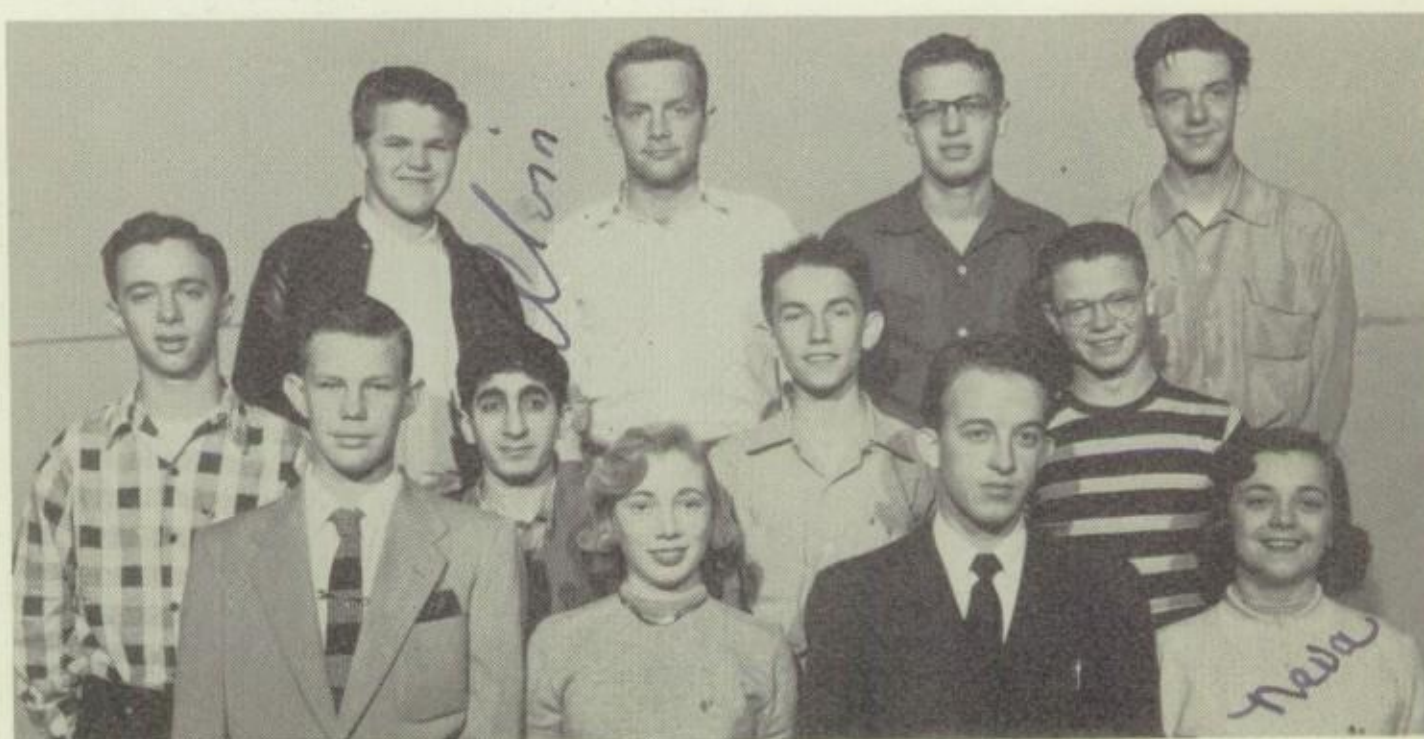
National Thespians

"All Thespians stay after meeting" is commonly heard at Little Theatre meeting. Thespians must have earned nine points through work in school plays. Miss Rose Marie Smith sponsors this group, and Harry Scott and John Caughron served as presidents this year.

ROW 1: Miss Rose Marie Smith, Betty Aikman, Gloria Littrell, Donna Powell, Susan Diwocky, John Caughron, Margaret Losey, Harry Scott, Betty McFadden, Bob Webber.
 ROW 2: Faith Himelfarb, Nancy Martin, Laura Johnson, Yvonne Kelsoe, Marsha Huffman, Ralph May, Bobbie Ferguson, Paul Schwartz, Alvin Naifeh.
 ROW 3: Janie Dyche, Mary Kay Cornett, Marilyn Motley, Carolyn Williams, Elaine Schuster, Phyllis Wright, Elizabeth Dill, Carolee Axtell, Claire Jean Martin, Wanda Countryman.

Stage Craft

"Wasn't that stage setting superb?" and "the scenery for the all-school play was so pretty!" These are just a few of the remarks of the Classen student body. All this is credited to Mr. Robert Curry and his stage crew.



ROW 1: Jimmie Sweeney, Gretchen Bond, Mr. Robert Curry, Neva Baird.
 ROW 2: Harvey Gasper Alvin Naifeh, Jack Sailer, Dick Voss.
 ROW 3: D. Wayne Etchison, Jim Ingram, Johnny Duhiminier, Earnie Cornelius.



National Forensic League

If you are outstanding in the field of speech, the National Forensic League (known around Classen as N. F. L.) is the organization for you. You must be outstanding in all forms of speech to belong to N. F. L. Harold Messenger is the president of the group.

ROW 1: Bob Webber, Dan Costley, Harold Messenger, Margaret Losey, Jimmy Clapp, Ralph May.
 ROW 2: Betty Aikman, Donna Powell, Yvonne Kelsoe, Carolee Axtell, Gloria Littrell, Fred Willhoite.
 ROW 3: Jim Belcher, Paul McDaniel, Jim Powers, Doug Matthews, Carl Fagin.
 ROW 4: Dale Wehba, Paul Schwartz, John Caughron, Hammet Hough, Harry Scott, Virgil Browne.

STUDENT GOVERNMENT

Proctors

"I've just got to get a drink. Do you think I could slip by the proctors?" Well, we wouldn't advise it. Classen's law enforcement body, the proctors, is alert and on the job. The proctor queen this year is Gloria Littrel. She was crowned at the Proctor-Courtesy Club mixer.



ROW 1: Dick Sanford, Benny Sharp, Gloria Littrell, Phil Lee, Phil Rudolph, Harold Couch.
 ROW 2: Mr. Lloyd Estes, Charles Reece, Wesley Stuart, Rene Crothers, Gary Goforth, Mr. R. T. Nichols.
 ROW 3: Ed Lyon, Clark McPhail, Jim Barnett, Tom Cheatwood, Jack Shaffer.
 ROW 4: Larry Nichols, Bob Hunt, Maurice Ferris, Dal Christensen, Bob Scruggs.



Proctor Court

If you don't have a hall pass, and a proctor takes your name, you'll receive a subpoena to appear in Proctor Court. This is similar to the lower courts of our government. Dan Costley is prosecuting attorney.

ROW 1: Carolyn Clarkson, Kelvyn Cullimore, Maytha Wagner, Benny Sharp.
 ROW 2: Mr. Lloyd Estes, Charles Reece, Wesley Stvis, Joe Clayton, Louise Priddy.
 ROW 3: Johnny Perkins, Al Steadley, John Caughron, Roger Lewis.

Supreme Court

The highest judicial body of our school is the Supreme Court. This court interprets the constitution of Classen High School in all respects. Virgil Brown is Chief Justice. The court is appointed by the president.



ROW 1: Carolyn Lovejoy, Virgil Browne, Gail Rogers.
 ROW 2: Harry Scott, Alan Hirschfield.
 ROW 3: Mr. Lloyd Estes.

Group I



ROW 1: Carol Saulsberry, Faith Eads, Donna Powell, Marilyn Peck, Carolyn Carroll, Covar Jeppe, Carolyn Sealy, Betty Aikman, Janet Stein.
 ROW 2: Susan Diwoy, Margaret Losey, Ginger Highleyman, Tinker Neff, Suzanne Stanley, Pat Puckett, Shirley McGuire, Miss Owen.
 ROW 3: Patty Conner, Loralyn Bomar, Kay Neuffer, Lou Ann Montgomery, Bob Howell, Paul McDaniel, Paul Schwartz, Elinor Unruh.
 ROW 4: Page Dobson, Ralph May, Jim Miller, Tom Terrill, Bill Johnson, Bob Kruger, Jim Satterfield, Dick Parks.

Student Council

This is the governing body of Classsen, which is made up of a representative from each advisory. They handle school elections and contests and make the decisions which are important to the student body.

President—Page Dobson
 Vice President—Eddie Lyon
 Secretary—Betty Aikman
 Treasurer—Doug Matthews

Group II



ROW 1: Carolyn Gee, Marian Brown, Louise Priddy, Gloria Littrell, Ellen Fowler, Sandra Davis, Maytha Wagner.
 ROW 2: Frances Byars, Gay Garrett, Carolyn Clarkson, Margaret Holloway, Marilyn Davis, Kaye Taylor, Mr. Duane Weinert.
 ROW 3: Harold Messenger, Herb Roberts, Roger Louis, Al Steadley, Maurice Ferris, Cecil Carson, Joe Frank, Doug Matthews.
 ROW 4: Joe Clayton, Ed Lyon, Kelvin Cullimore, Bob Webber, John Caughron, Dal Christensen, Jimmy Beaver, Jack Sailer.

Amateur Radio



ROW 1: Brad Thompson, W5WRN; Rex Irwin, W5MOH; Jerry Rader, W5UGM.
 ROW 2: Don Perryman, W5VBH; Guy Liebman, W5TKS; Bernie Boyle, W5SLF.

ACTIVITIES

hal Jane.
seriously,
never in my
life have I known
a sweeter, more sin-
cere person. You deserve
all the happiness in the
world! Thanks for being
such a great asset
Sgt. at Arms
Jack always
Marean





Against a background of dolls, -Lillian Morgan, Shirley Ann Dodson, and Joyce Collins, the children, -Larry Thrower and Myralin Gallaspy make Harold Tice, a toy drummer, come to life during the Orbit Ass'ly, as queen candidates and their escorts watch.

No, they're really not dolls. But you would never know it, would you? These charming little ladies are Hyla Hyde and Shirley Ann Dodson as they portray their parts in the Orbit Assembly.



ASSEMBLIES



Betty Aikman, newly elected friendship princess, walks down the aisle preceding her coronation in the friendship assembly.



Henrie Bea Risen, a dancing doll, in the Orbit Assembly, comes to life and smiles for the camera.



Maurice Ferris and Betty Aikman exchange friendship rings when they were chosen as Classen's friendliest pair, while Suzanne Stanley, a queen candidate watches.

BANQUETS



Jerrie "Killer" Marsh, the fearless animal trainer cracks her whip in the Classette Basketball Banquet.



Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Irwin and Mr. Jim Conger are certainly entertained, as they watch the Comes Football Banquet from the head table.



Myralin Gallaspy is seen singing as she portrays a tiger at the Classettes Banquet.



Janet Palmer, Marian Long, and Pat Evans are not really men from Mars, but that's what they were in the Comes Banquet.



Ann Fraley, portraying Dinah Shore in the Comes Banquet, really gives football players Phoebe Groseclose, Malachia Railey, and Ann Hathaway a big thrill.



Here we see Margaret Losey, portraying Father Time as she reads the script in the Comes Banquet. In the background are Silver Stars, Carolyn Gee and Joyce Harrison.



Three strongmen, Mary Ellen Miller, Carolyn Ragland, and Kay Hanness sing the praises of Wheaties in the Classette Banquet.



Betty McFadden prepares to read the jingles of the football team while Silver Stars, Ramah Johns, Joyce Myers, Martha Reedy and Ellen Fowler are ready to deliver their arm patches.



Sandra Davis and Pat Conner sing Easter Parade in the Classette Banquet. They look like they are ready to walk down Fifth Avenue to me. What about you?

DEBATE



Virgil Browne and Dan Costly are planning defeat for their opponents by the use of convincing facts obtained from the library.



John Caughron, Harold Messenger, Johnny Clapp, and Doug Matthews listen attentively as Mr. Gerald Kidd explains important points for them to stress in their debate.

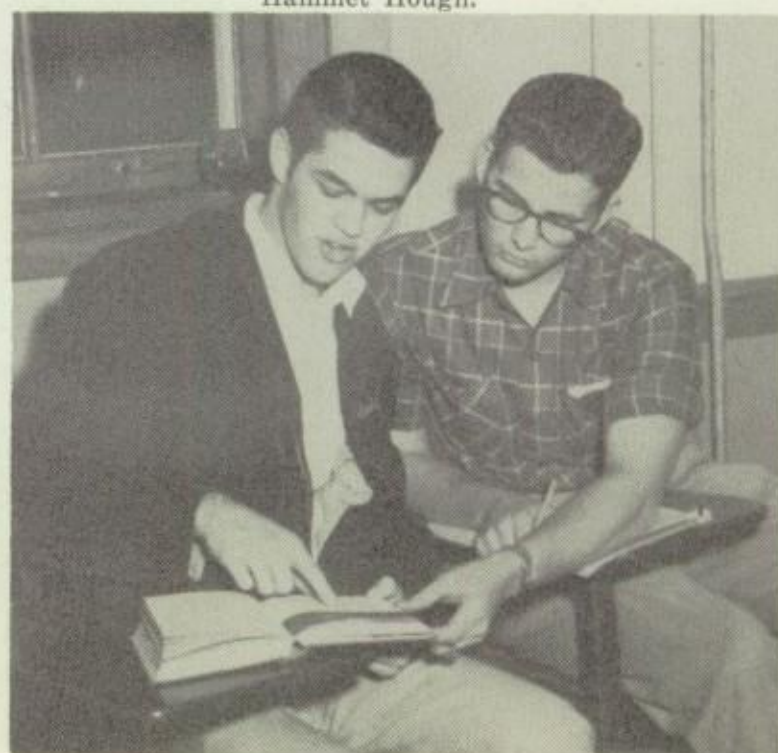
Ralph May and Fred Wilhoite look over the debate material with which they won honors at Shawnee.



Jim Powers appears quite convincing as a debater. (It's debatable!).



Preparing for a quick comeback on an important point are, Bricker Gibson and Hammet Hough.





Here we see Harry Scott and Mary Kay Cornett in a scene from the all school play, "Annie Get Your Gun."

P L A Y S



Susie Neeley looks on as Margaret Losey ruins, or rather makes up Jan May for the sophomore play, "Curtain Going Up."



Harry Scott shrinks back in fear as Ronnie Thompson and Dale Wehba examine the robe in the school play of the year, "The Robe."

The one act play, "The Londonderry Air", won superior rating in the East Central State College tournament at Ada, Oklahoma. Two of the stars shown below are, Wanda Countryman and David Flemming.

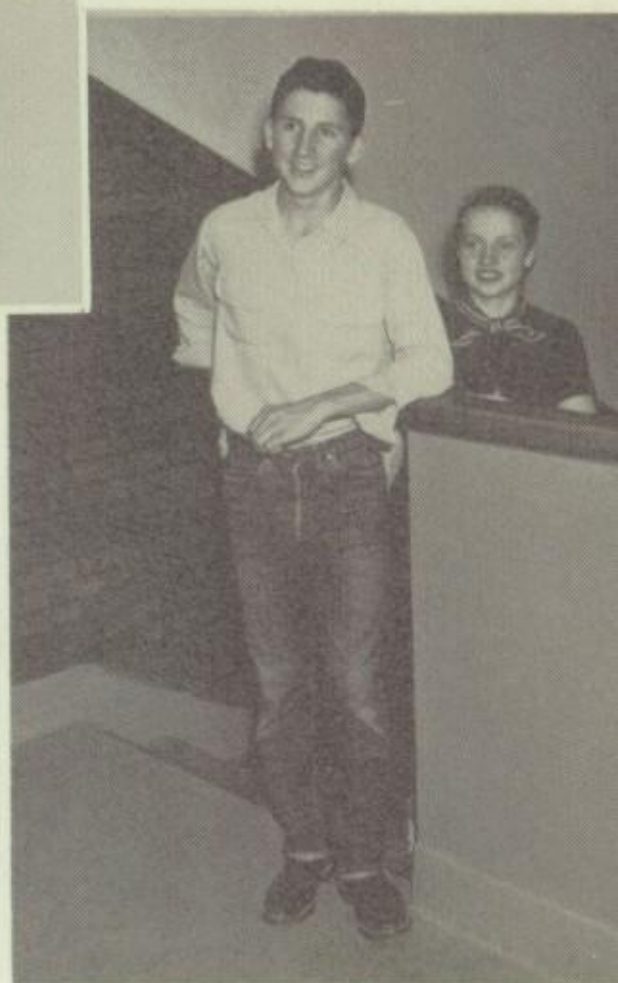


Tom Fuller played the part of a rich, but discontented king in the annual Christmas play.

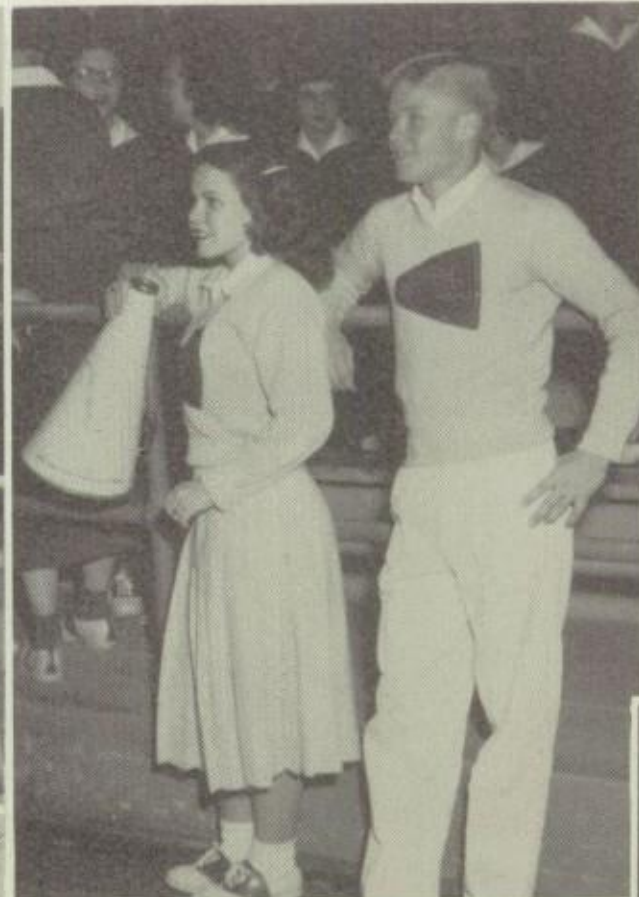
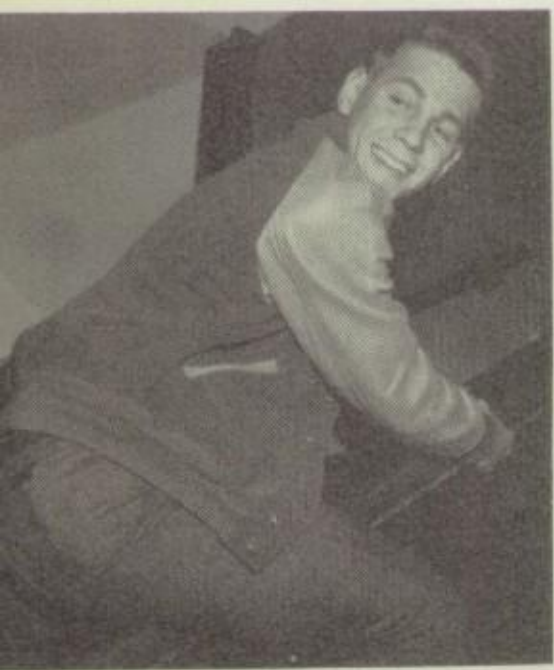
Typical

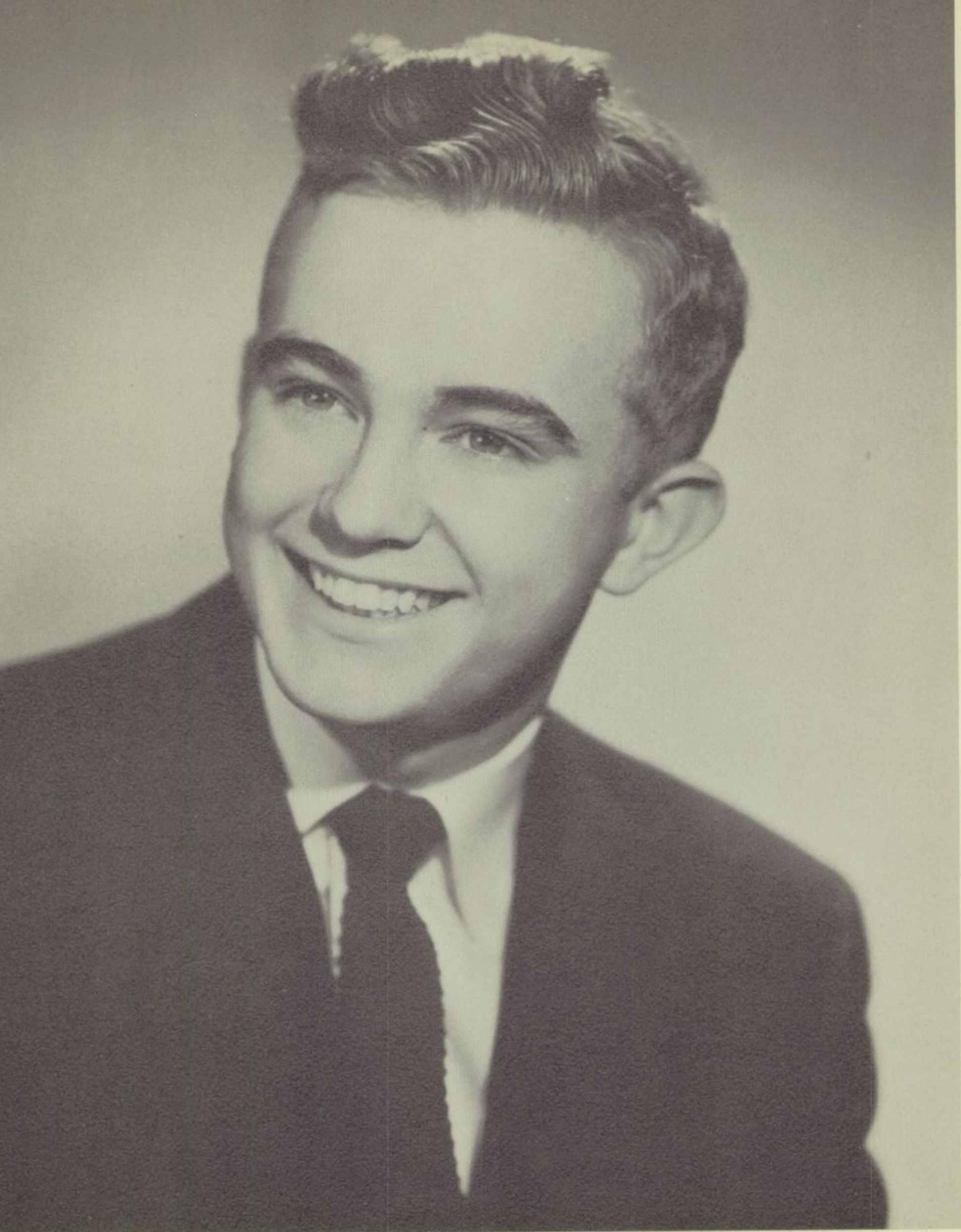


Teens



These teens were chosen by the popular vote of the student body as Classen's Typical Teens in a contest sponsored by the Classen Life. Above, representing the typical seniors are Al Steadley and Suzanne Stanley. At the left are Barbara Burbridge and Jim Grose, juniors, and at the right are Dick Rosenstahl and Nancy Voth, sophomores.

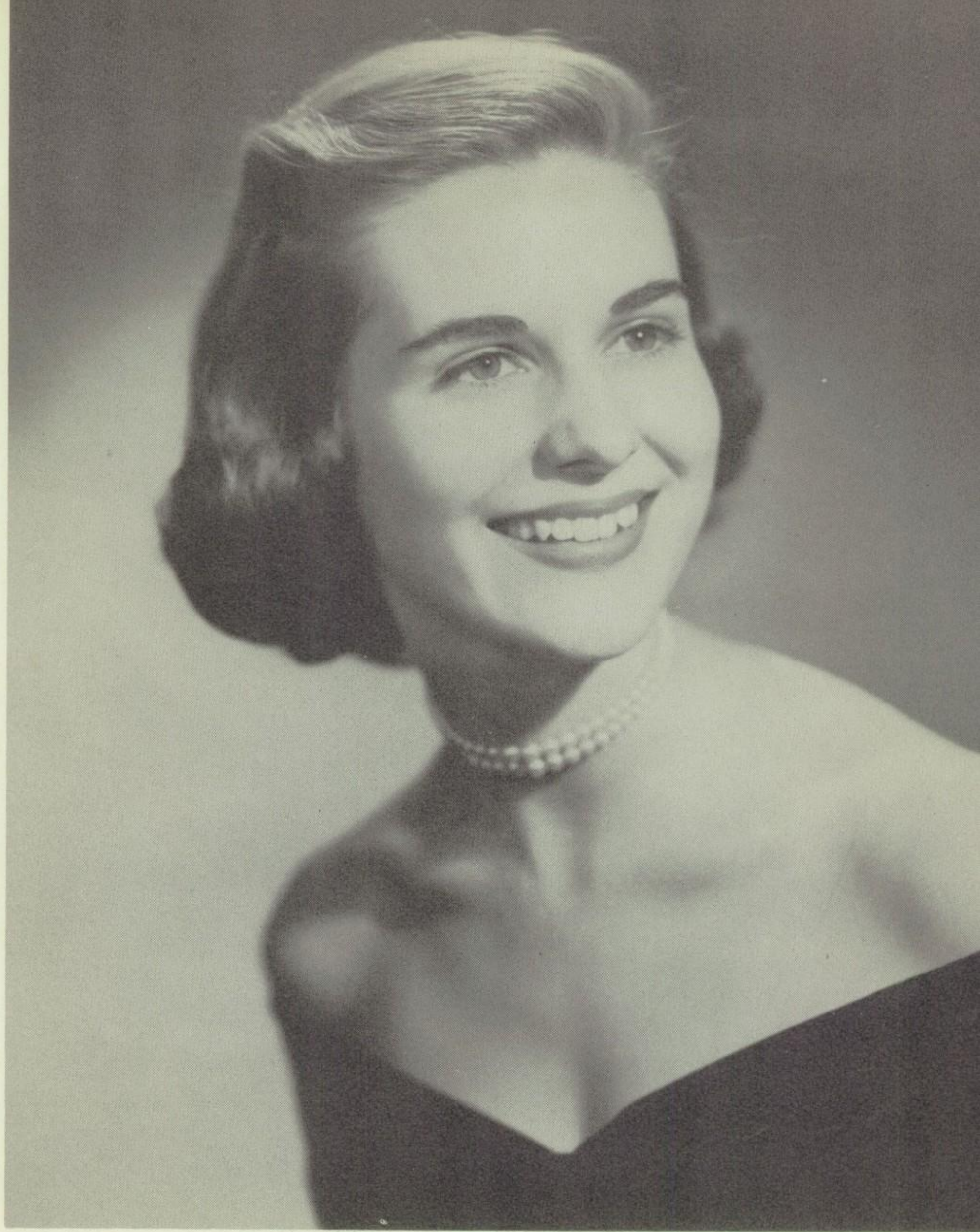




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PAGE DOBSON

President of the Student Council



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PAULA BELZUNG

Orbit Queen



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CAROLYN GEE

Blue Jacket Queen



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CAROL GALLAMORE

Football Queen



—photo by varden

ELEANOR UNRUH

Meteor Queen



—photo by varden

GLORIA LITTRELL

Proctor Queen



BETTY AIKMAN MAURICE FERRIS

—photo by varden

Friendship Princess and Prince



Louise Priddy



Wiltoma Jones



Marian Brown



Carolyn Carroll



Myrna Moore



Ginger Highleyman



Martha Reedy

UNCROWNED QUEENS



Covar Jeppe



Suzanne Stanley



Leah Rae Hayes



Micky Strauch



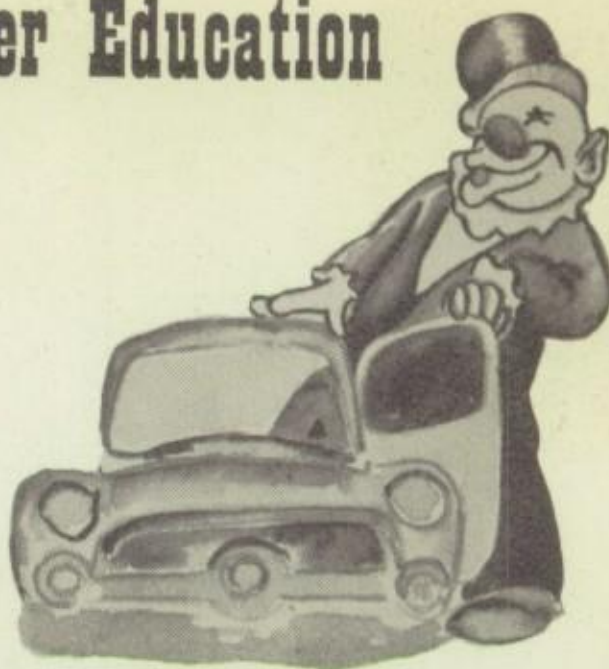
Joyce Collins



JoAnne Haun



Driver Education

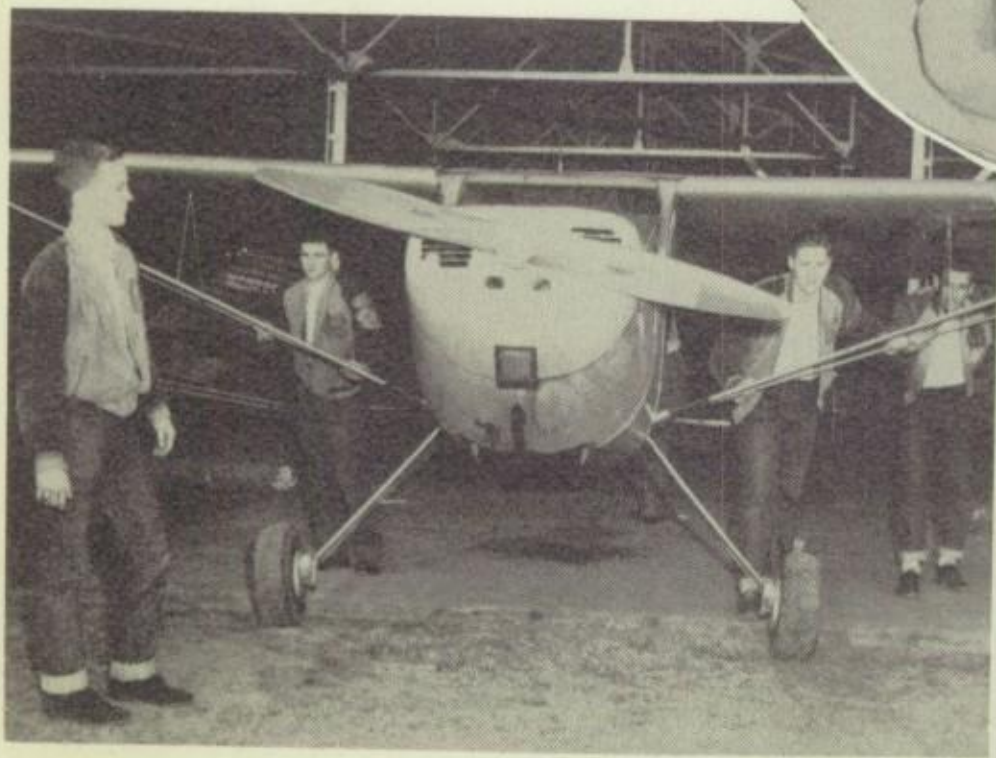


Mr. Reid says good-bye to Jerry McWilliams, Dorothy Mae Meyers, Mary Jane Scheele, Dolores Brown, and Jimmy Durrett as they leave for a "Solo" drive.

Jimmy Durrett, Dolores Brown, Mr. Reid, Dorothy Meyers and Mary Jane Scheele make a pretty picture for the photographer. Members of the driver education group learn that safe driving, is correct driving habits.



Flight Training



Herby Roberts, Dick Fearnow, John Galbrath, and Oscar Ballard roll their Cessna aircraft out of the hanger and prepare to take off. Herby seems to be directing the operation.

Mr. Conger shows the boys the best place to make a crash landing, just in case.



Classen Life



Johnnie Lou Klopenstein, Carol Bailey, Mike Stuart, Fred Lyon, and Carolyn Gimpel get a big thrill when they see their own stories in print.



Typing copy for the Classen Life are Ed Wagner and Fred Lyon while Mike Stuart checks spelling. Exchange papers hang on rack in rear.



Bruce Cochran and Kipp Schuessler show Phyllis Wright and Elloui Harwood the techniques of cartoon drawing. Bruce and Kipp are the cartoonists for the Orbit and Classen Life.



Members of the Classen Life Staff, left to right, are Connie Davidson, Carolyn Gimpel, Alice Evans, Johnnie Lou Klopenstein, Carol Bailey, Sheila "Jinx" Clinger, Mike Stuart, Janet Stein, and Fred Lyon. Not pictured are Elloui Harwood and Phyllis Wright.



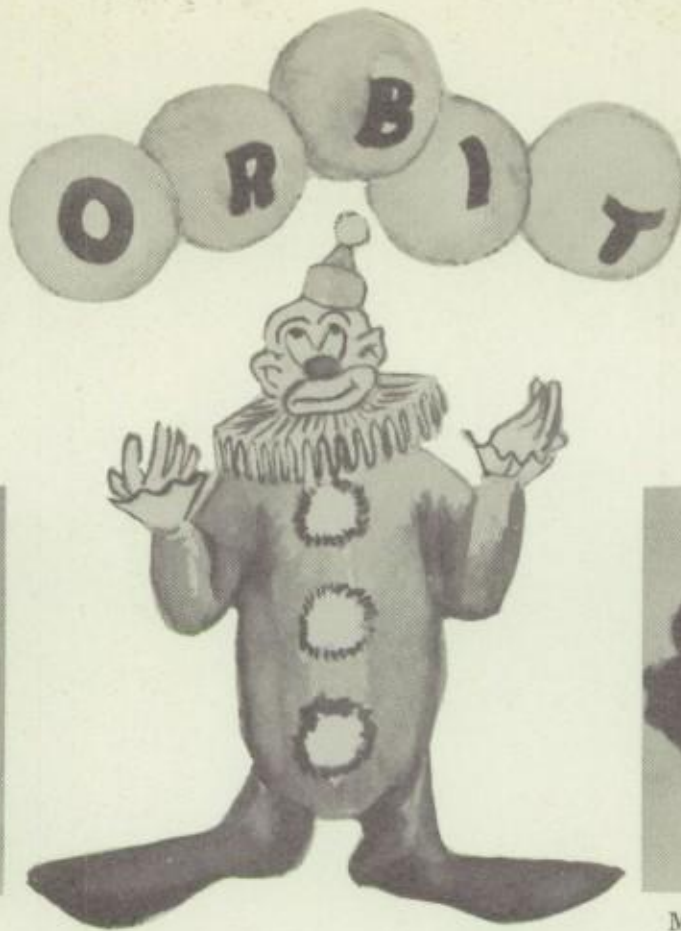
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Assistant Editor

Under the fine editorships of Bob Curran and Myralin Gallaspy, the Orbit Class has spent much time working to make the 1953 Orbit the best one yet. This, however, could never have been done without the encouragement and help of our sponsor, Mr. Ted Nichols. We have really had a lot of fun in Orbit, and we've thoroughly enjoyed putting the yearbook together. We hope it has pleased you too.



Members of the Orbit Class seated left to right are: Cristina Nagel, Joyce Collins—administration editor, Lillian Morgan, Barbara Burbridge, Phyllis Hazel—photography editor, Myralin Gallaspy—assistant editor, Shirley Ann Dodson—activities editor, Mike Cralle, Hyla Hyde—organizations editor, Bob Curran—editor, Henrie Bea Risen, Wiltoma Jones—copy editor, and Martha Reedy. Not pictured, Nan Watkins—sports editor.



Wiltoma Jones checks the mastersheet that Joyce Collins is holding to make sure everything is in order before Lillian Morgan types the copy.



Mike Cralle, Shirley Ann Dodson, Barbara Burbridge, and Hyla Hyde refer to an old Orbit to get ideas for the activities section for this year's Orbit.



John Batchelor
Classen Award



Joe Clayton
Classen Award



Ed Lyon
Classen Award



Dick Sparks
Classen Award

HONOR



John Caughron
Classen Award
Classen Medal of Honor

ART AWARDS

Art Award
Bruce Cockran

Honorable Mention
Sylvia Davis

Art Nouveau Award
Marrietta Tunnell

Ceramics Award
Richard Hicks

Renaissance Award
Kipp Schuessler

ATHLETIC AWARDS

Boys' Award
John Henry

Honorable Mention
Dan Brown

Joseph Hester Patterson Award
Dick Hall

GIRLS' AWARDS

Individual Sports Award
Sue Beard

Team Sports Award
Sue Stoldt

COMMERCIAL AWARDS

Commercial Certificates
Sandra Abernathy
Diane Carey
Nellyne Hart
Joyce Collins
Jeanne Marshall
Carolyn Otey
Kathleen Simon

Commercial Club Award
Yvonne Kelsoe

Commercial Occupations Awards

Norma Colville
Robert Ellison
Gloria Graves
Dolores Wyatt

DISTRIBUTIVE EDUCATION AWARDS

Distributive Education Awards
Carole Deupree
Carl Zellner

Distributive Education Club Award

Jack Curren
George Sturm, Jr.

Honorable Mention
Jerry Holiday

ENGLISH AWARDS

Carol Baker
John Batchelor
Meredith Brower
Marian Brown
Virgil Browne
Frances Byers
John Caughron
Joe Clayton
Darayl Ray Curry
Sylvia Davis
Patricia Fleming
Nellyne Hart
Alice Hodges
Robert Kruger
Carolyn Lovejoy
Eddie Lyon
Douglas Matthews
Lou Ann Montgomery

HOME ECONOMICS AWARDS

D.A.R. Award in Home Economics
Pat McCullar

D.A.R. Certificate
Letha Jo Sullivan

Home Economics Award
Eleanor Austin

Certificates of Merit
Mary Hall
Jo Anna Haun

LANGUAGE AWARDS

French Award
Marilyn Nicholas



Carol Baker
Classen Award



Frances Byers
Classen Award



Pat Fleming
Classen Award



Donna Powell
Classen Award



Lou Ann Montgomery
Classen Award
Classen Medal of Honor

AWARDS

JOURNALISM AWARDS

Journalism Awards

Carolyn Gimpel
Janet Stein

Orbit Award

Bob Curran

SCIENCE AWARD

Science Award

Larry Collins

SOCIAL STUDIES AWARDS

D.A.R. Award in Social Studies

Marilyn Peck

History Award

Marilyn Peck

Honorable Mention

Pat Fleming
Donna Powell
Ann Townly

SPEECH AWARDS

Debate Award

Douglas Matthews
Jim Powers

Honorable Mention

Virgil Browne
Jimmie Clapp
Dan Costley
Fred Willhoite
Ralph May
Harold Messenger

Forensic Award

Virgil Browne

Honorable Mention

Jim Powers
Dan Costley
Harold Messenger

Jane Graening Memorial (Sophomore) Award

Jim Hippen

Honorable Mention

Marilyn Dorff
Joyce Foster
Saramay Wiley

Mary Martineau Service Award

Tom Fuller

Mary Martineau Speech Award

Ronnie Thompson

Little Theatre Awards

Best Actor

Harry Scott

Honorable Mention

John Caughron
Ronnie Thompson

Best Actress

Betty Aikman

Honorable Mention

Carolee Axtell

Best Thespian Award

Ronny Thompson

JUNIOR ALTRUSAN AWARD

Junior Altrusan Award
Lou Ann Montgomery

D.A.R. Citizenship Award
Betty Aikman

Latin Award

Doris Stanton

Spanish Awards

Carol Baker
Pat Fleming
Lou Ann Montgomery
Diane Rowland
Dolores Wyatt

MATHEMATICS AWARDS

Mathematics Awards

John Batchelor
Virgil Browne
Frances Byers
John Caughron
Jimmy Clapp
Joe Clayton
Clark Daugherty
Gwen Harrison
James Horn
Bob Kruger
Carolyn Lovejoy
Eddie Lyon
John Mellick
John Perkins
Dick Sparks
Eddie Sturm
Dick Worrell



Jerry Mitchell



Jimmy Durant

JoAnna Haun

CHEERLEADERS



Gloria Littrell



Roger Louis



Carol Gallamore



SPORTS



FOOTBALL



ROW 1—Dick Sparks, Jim Ingram, Jerry Forbes, Rene Crothers, Dick Worrell, Joe Clayton, Harold Couch, Dick Hall, David Flemming, Ted Smith, Jerry VanNort, Dal Christensen, Jim Merz.

ROW 2—Allen Ingram, Roy Monk, Bob Scruggs, Dale Milligan, Allen Winters, Jim Groseclose, John Perkins, Dan Brown, Ned Spence,

Jack Shaffer, Joe Monk, Larry Nichols, Tom Spear, Phil Easlon, Ronnie Donaldson, Bob Murray, Phil Lee.

ROW 3—Dick Voss, Allen Paine, Mickey McVay, Paul Bledsoe, Linwood Sharpe, Ronald Hall, Billy Peterson, Dan Ketchum, Keith Ruhman, Tom Taylor, Bob Howell, Clinton Greenshaw, Byron Lamun, Bob Buchanan.



With a look of pure delight, Jim Ingram and Coach Conger watch the Comets at the daily grind.



With the front row seats these Comets seem a little gloomy. Are we losing?

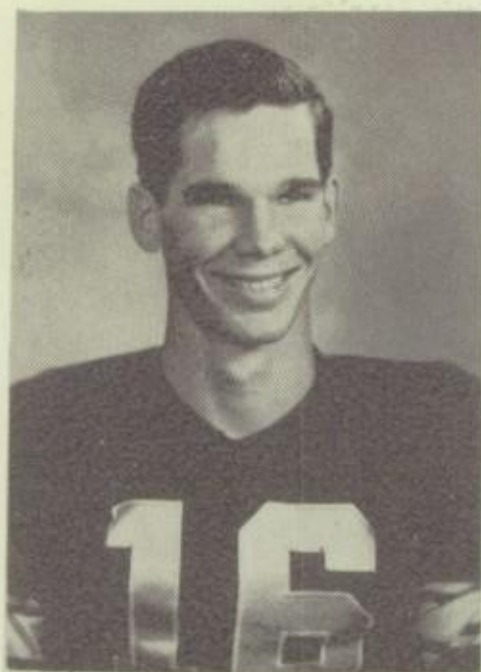
Here is neat Ned Spence running for that all important touchdown.



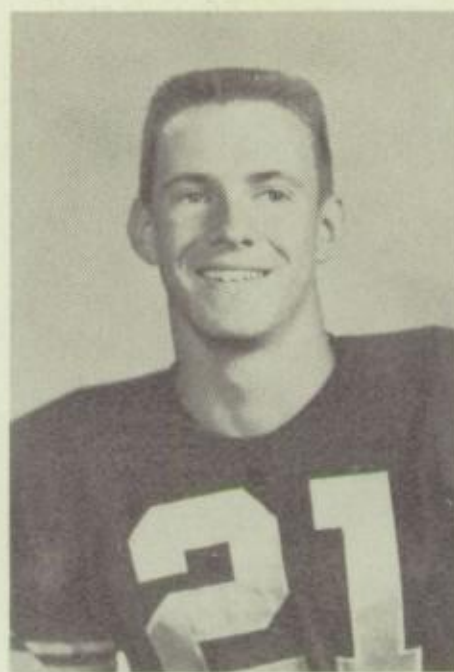
ALL STARS



Jim Ingram
Football, All State, All City,
All Conference



Dan Brown
Football, All City, All Mid-
state



Ned Spence
Football, All Mid-state

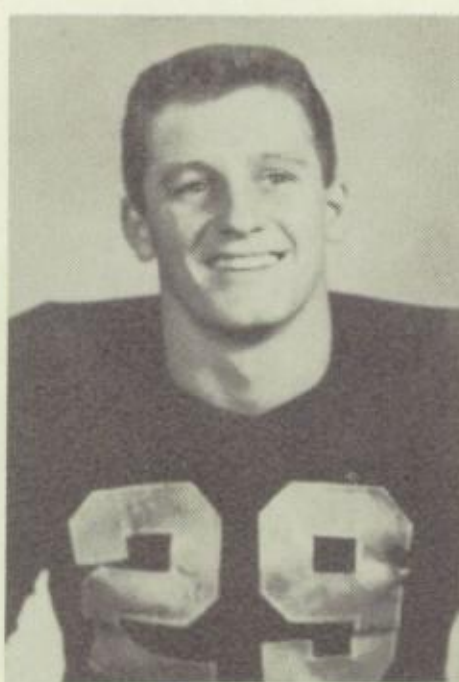


Jim Groseclose
Football, All City

(Not Pictured)
Jerry Mitchell
Swimming, State



Dal Christensen
Football, All City



John Perkins
Football, All Mid-state



Jerry Hoke
Wrestling, All State



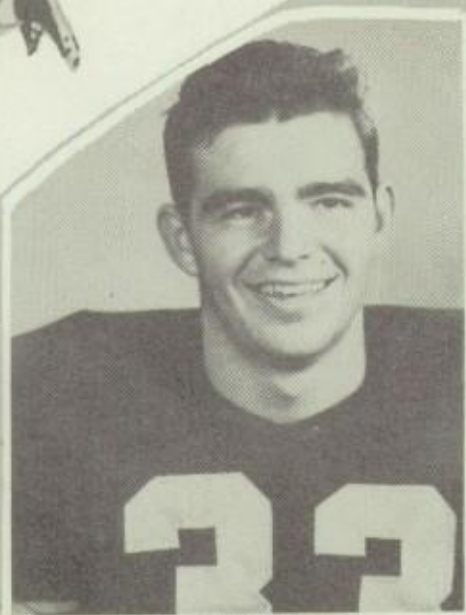
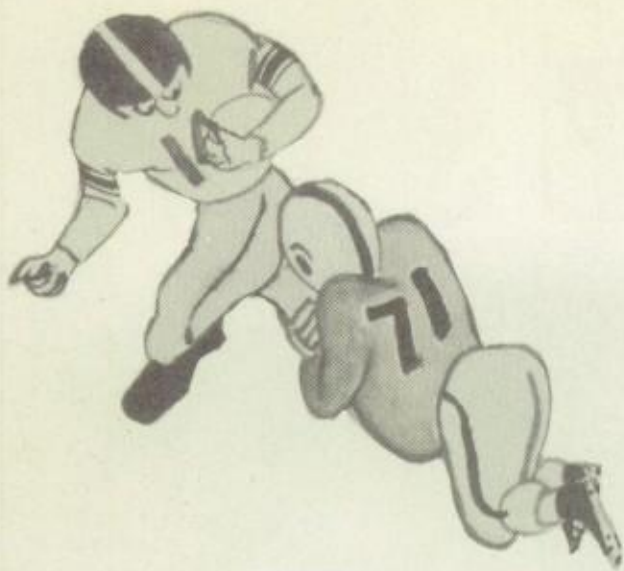
John Henry
Basketball, All City



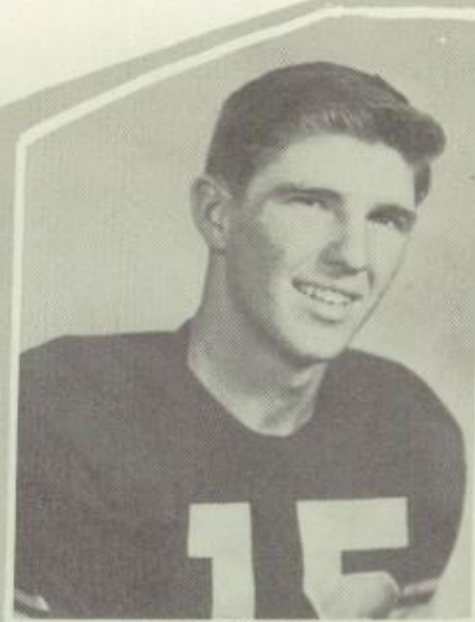
Jake Hoover
Swimming, State



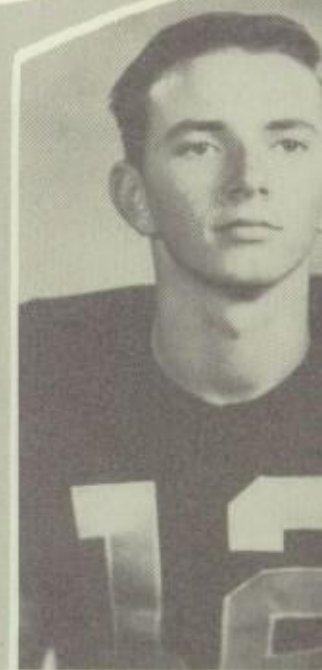
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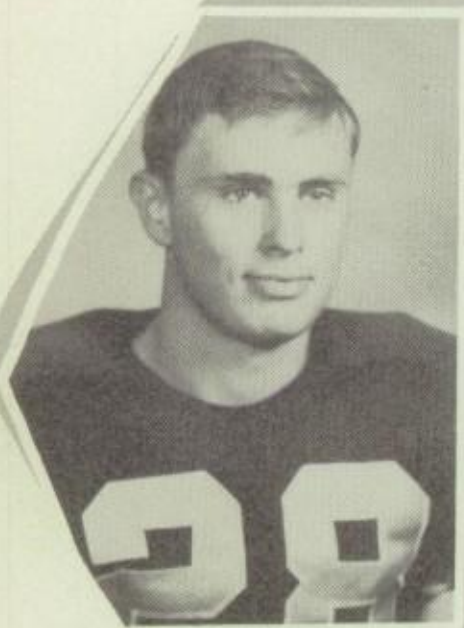
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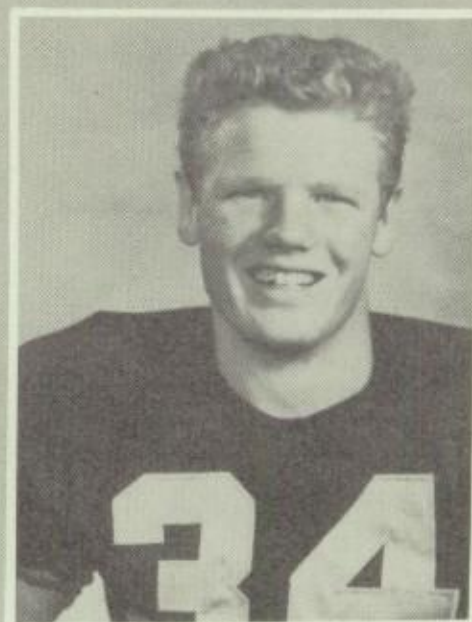
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"Smiles"



PHIL RUDOLPH
"Killer"



DAN KETCHUM
"Bright Eyes"



TED SMITH
"Teddy Bear"



ALLEN WINTER
"Snookie"



JIM MERZ
"Roman Nose"



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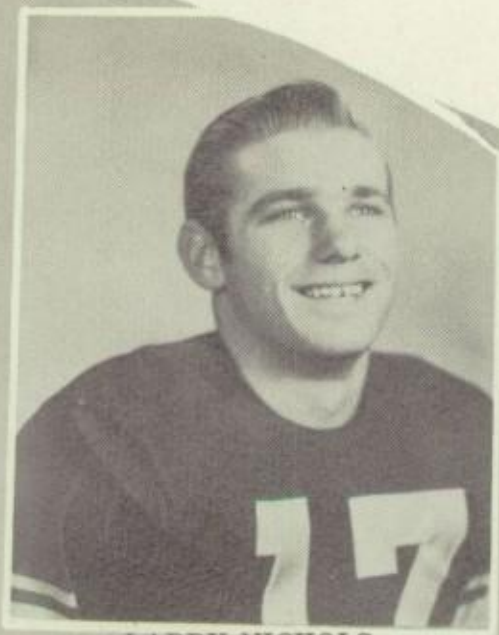
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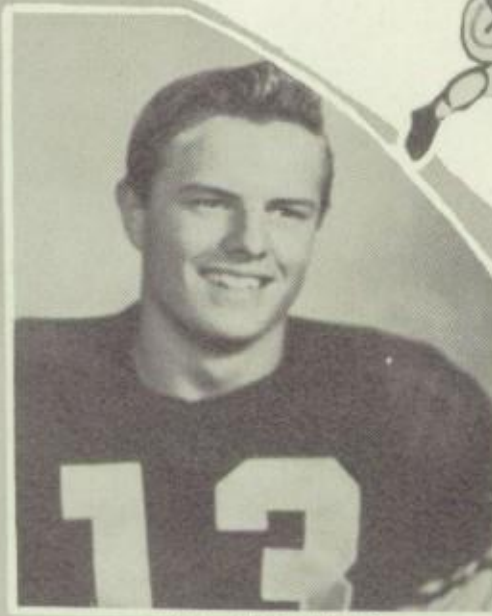
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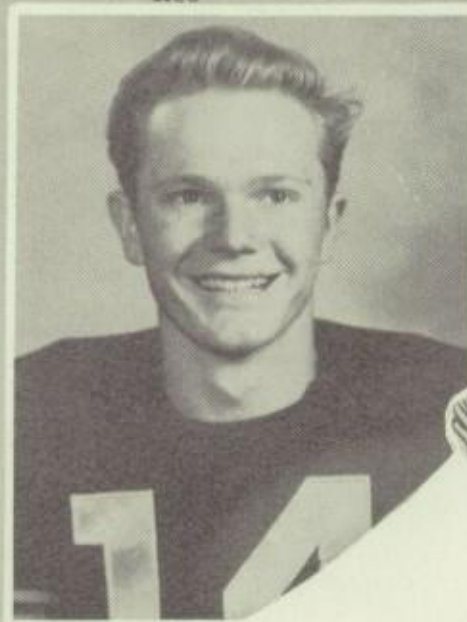
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JACK SHAFFER
"Golden Tow"



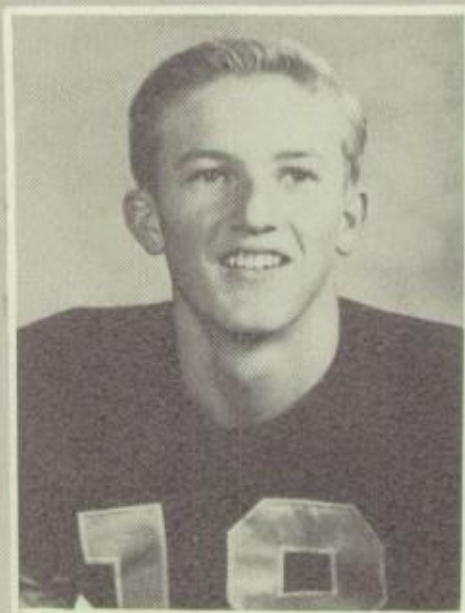
DALE MILLIGAN
"Baby Face"



JIM GROSECLOSE
"Red"



DAVID FLEMMING
"Joker"



TOM SPEAR
"South Paw"



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Will Rogers	27

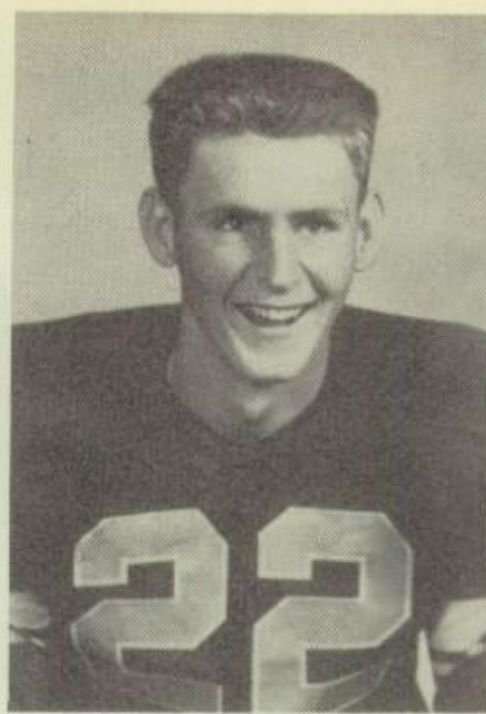
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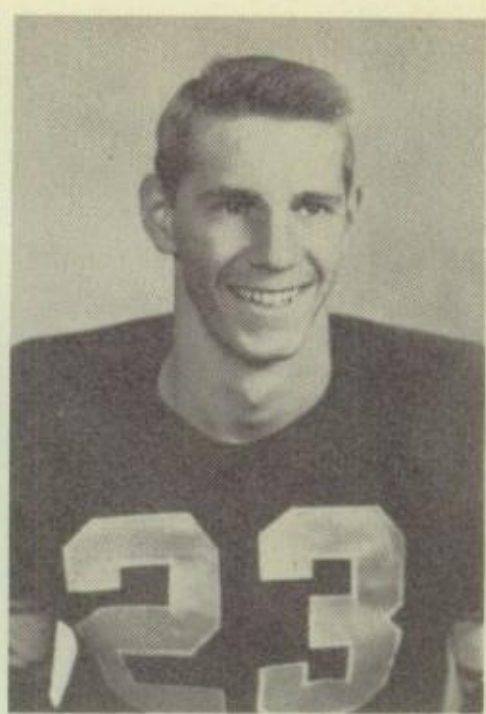
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"The Brain"



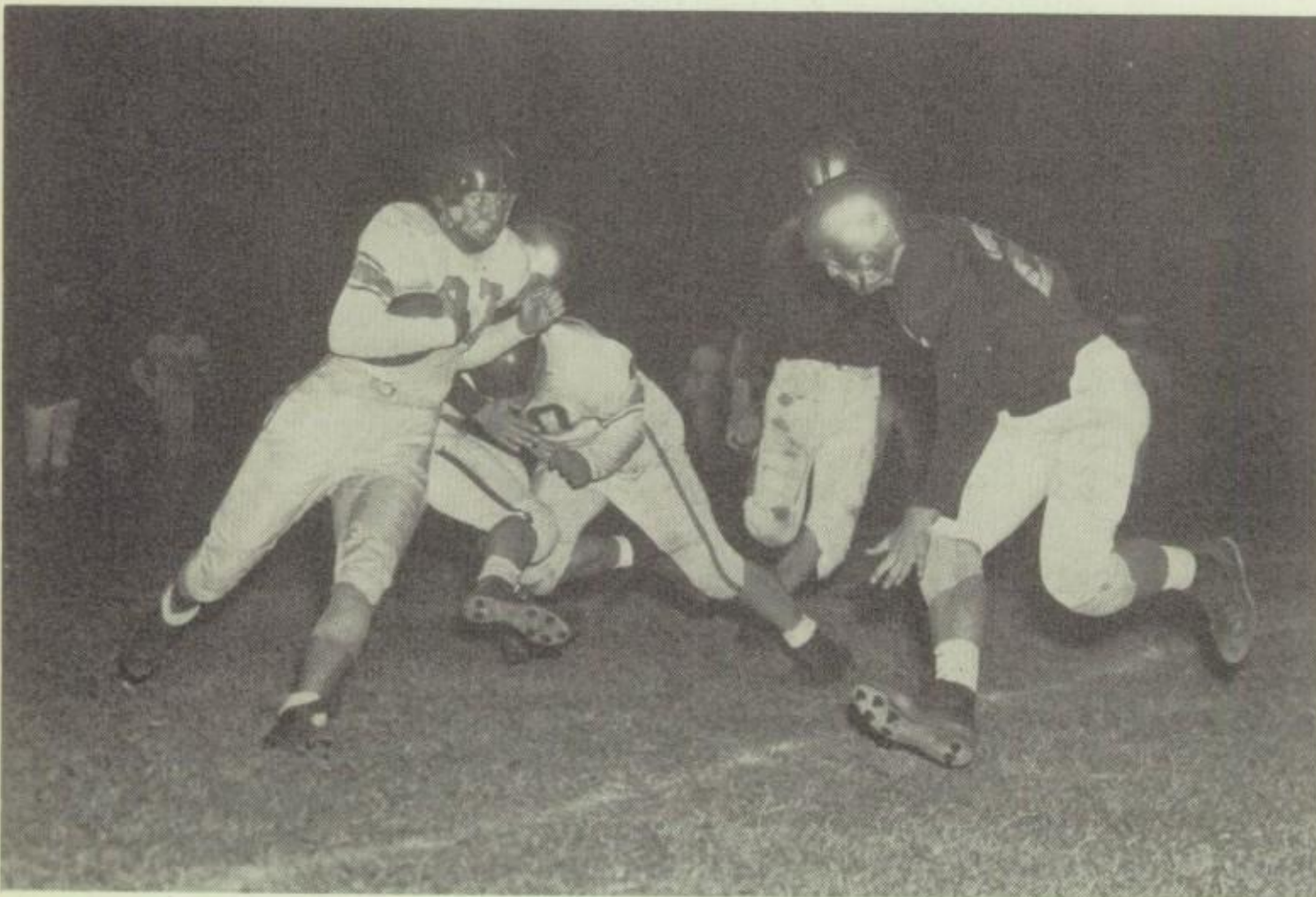
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"Stacked"



BOB SCRUGGS
"Scarecrow"

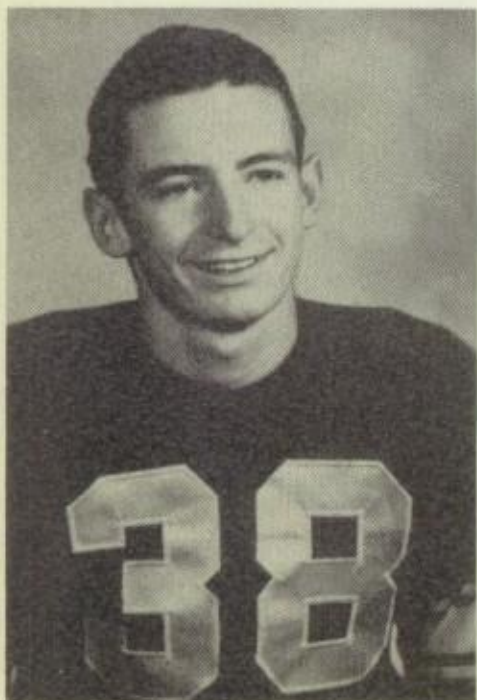


DICK SPARKS
"Sparkles"

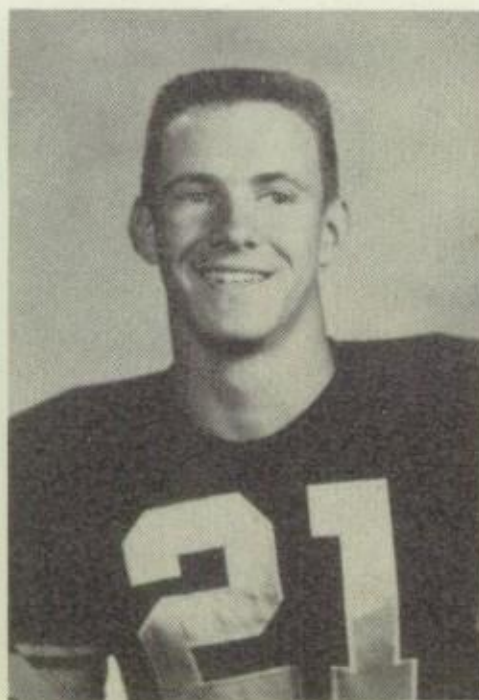


With Jim Ingram Blocking for (Hop-a-long) Christensen, how can we lose? This is just some of the good team work you can find on the Classen team.

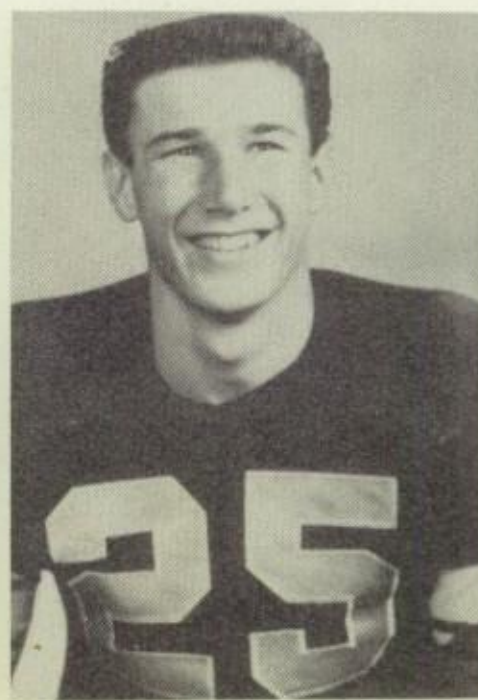
The sad time has come again when we lose our senior iron men. Combined together these boys represent speed, coordination and power. Speaking for the school, we are very proud of them and hate to see them go. Get a good look at them now because you won't see them on the field next year.



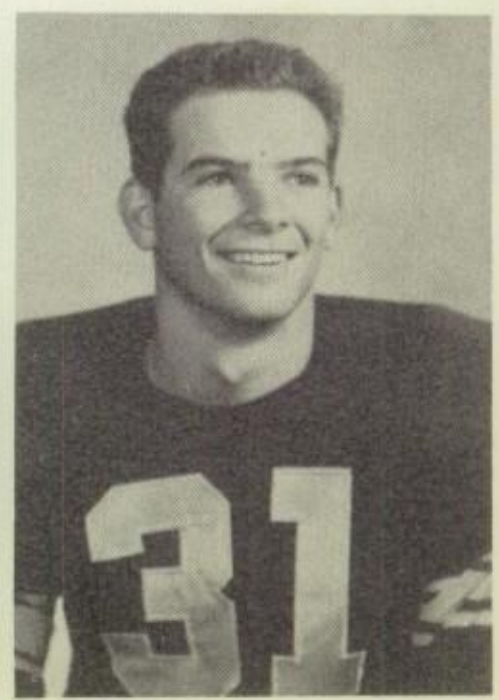
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"Monkey"



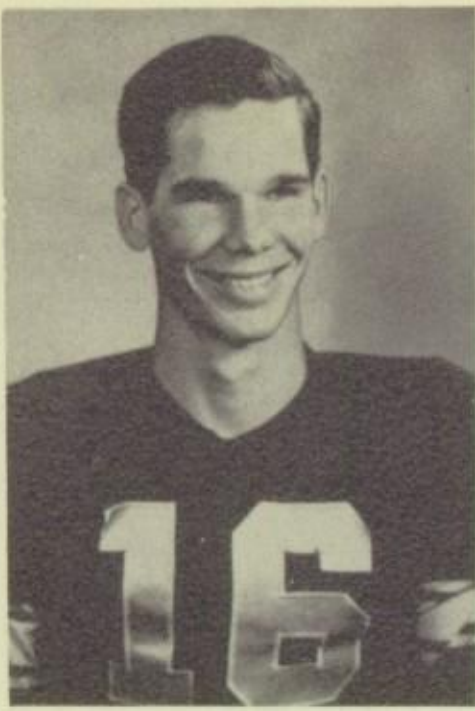
NED SPENCE
"Speedy"



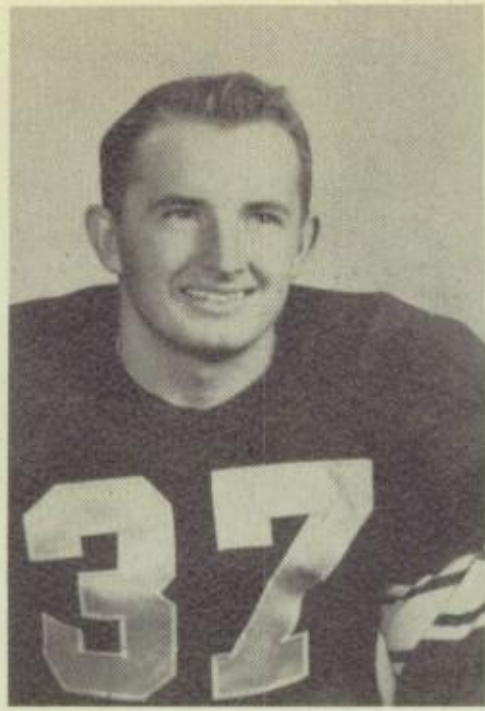
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"Henpecked"



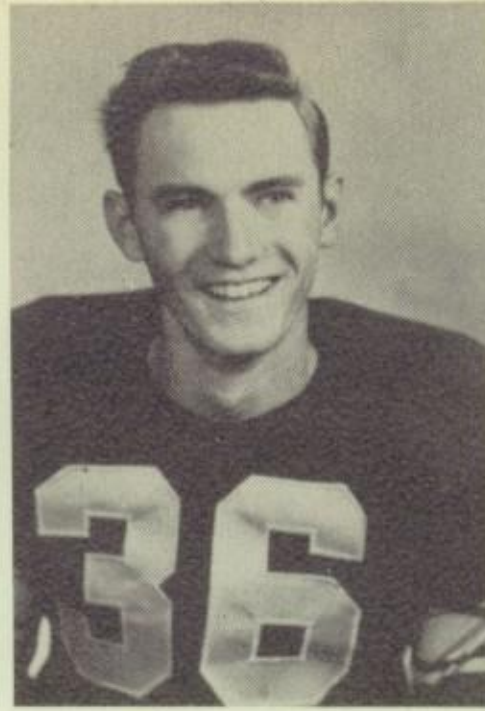
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"Little Horse"



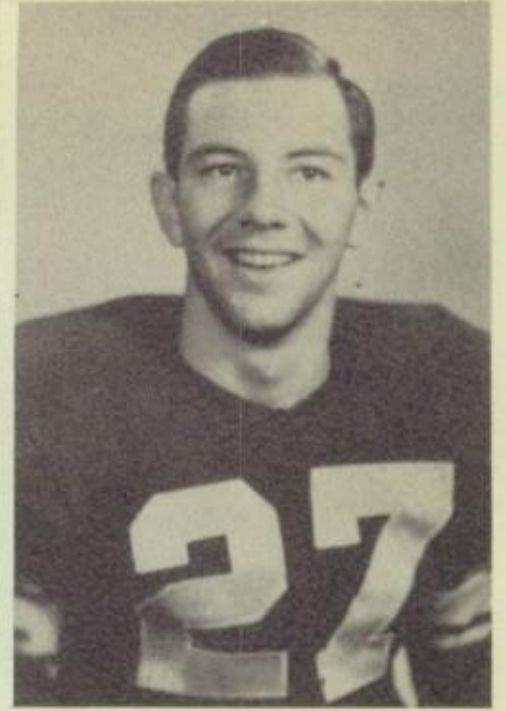
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"Arms"



JOE CLAYTON
"Little Lord Fauntleroy"



HAROLD COUCH
"Lank"

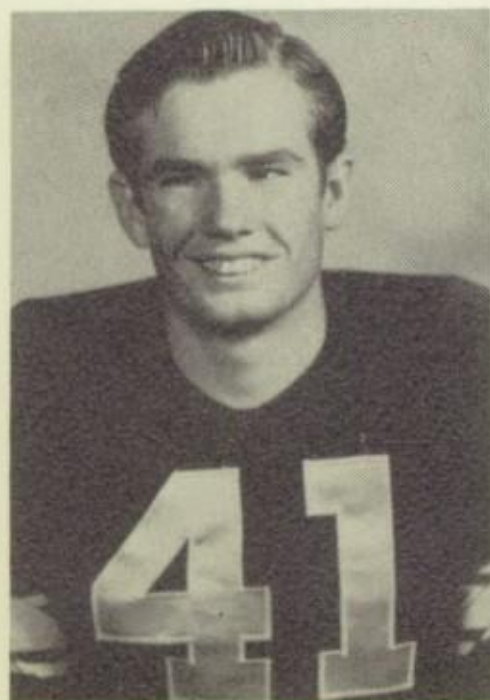


DAL CHRISTENDEN
"Hop-a-long"

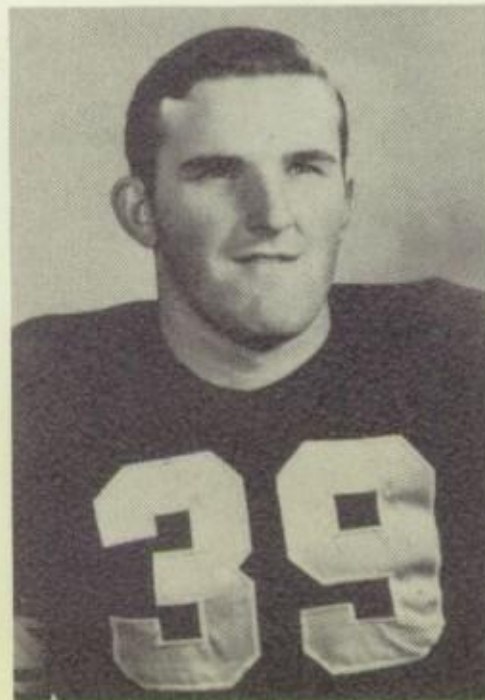


This is a picture every Classenite would be proud of, for it's the scoreboard of the famous and unpredictable Classen-Central Football game. As you can see, it was first down and only five yards to go, and the ball wasn't ours. A pass caught out of bounds almost cost us a tie.

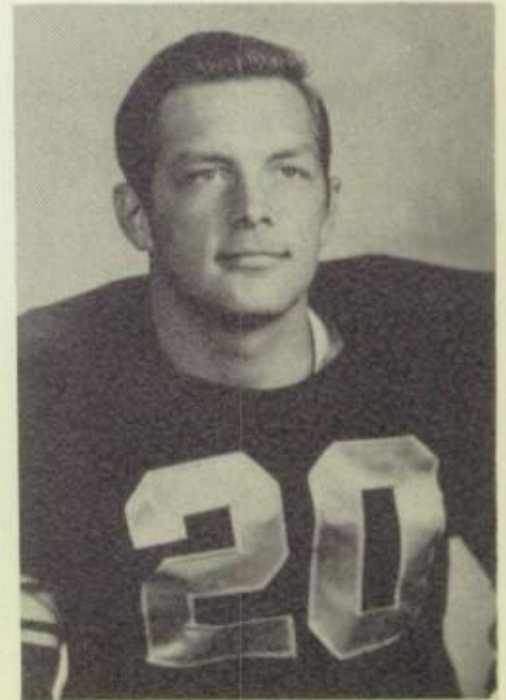
Senior Football Lettermen



JERRY FORBES
"Steel"



DICK HALL
"Atlas"



JIM INGRAM
"Jumbo"

Regional

Champs



JACK ROBYLER
Coach
"The Brains"



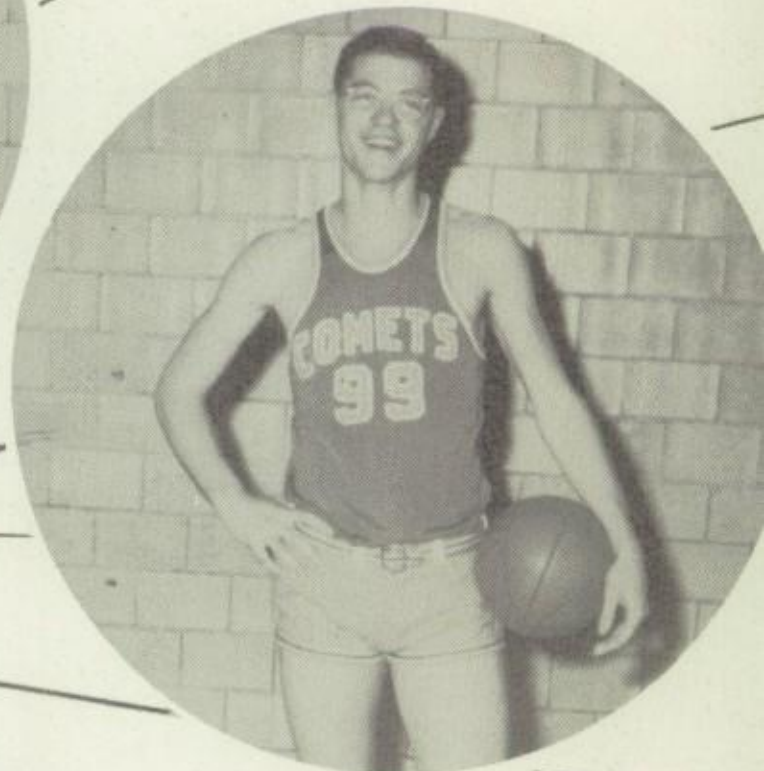
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"The King"



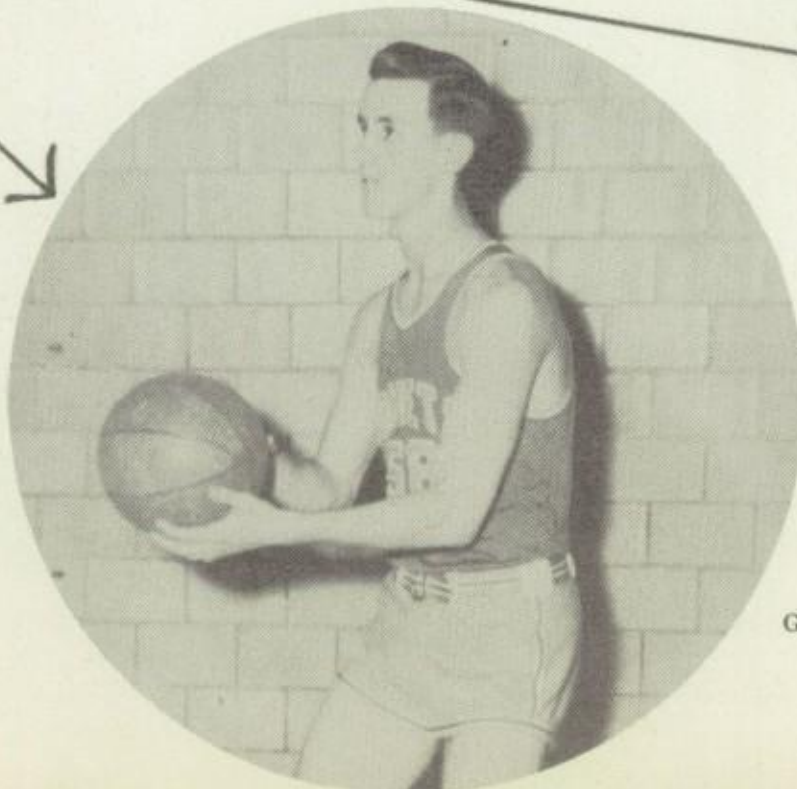
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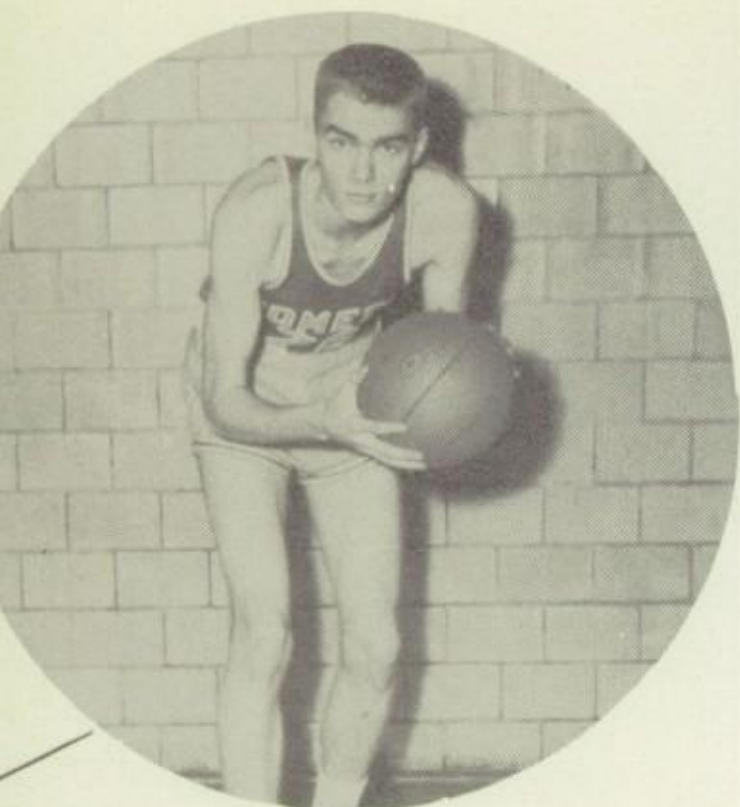
DAN BROWN
"D. B."



JOHN HENRY
"The Brawn"



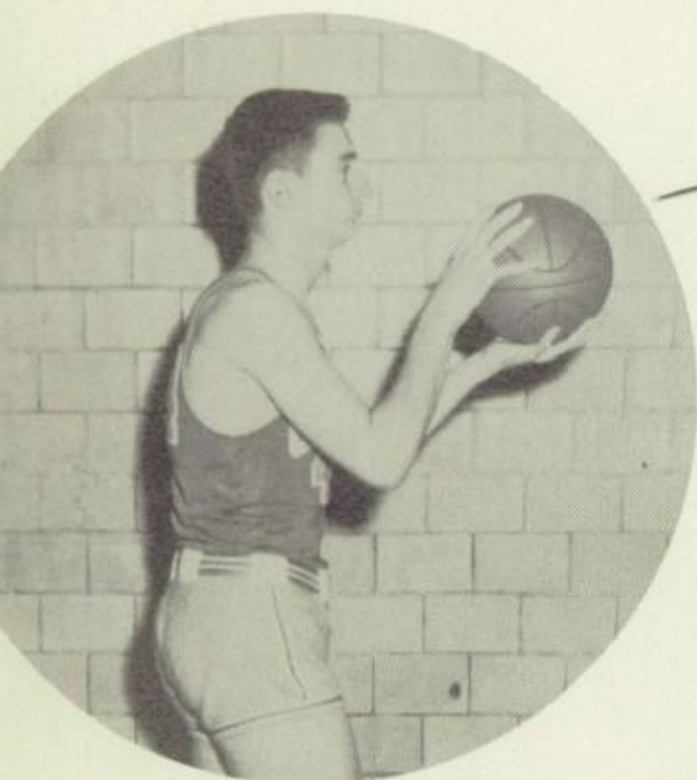
GARY JOHNSON
"Rag"



George Susens
"Spider"



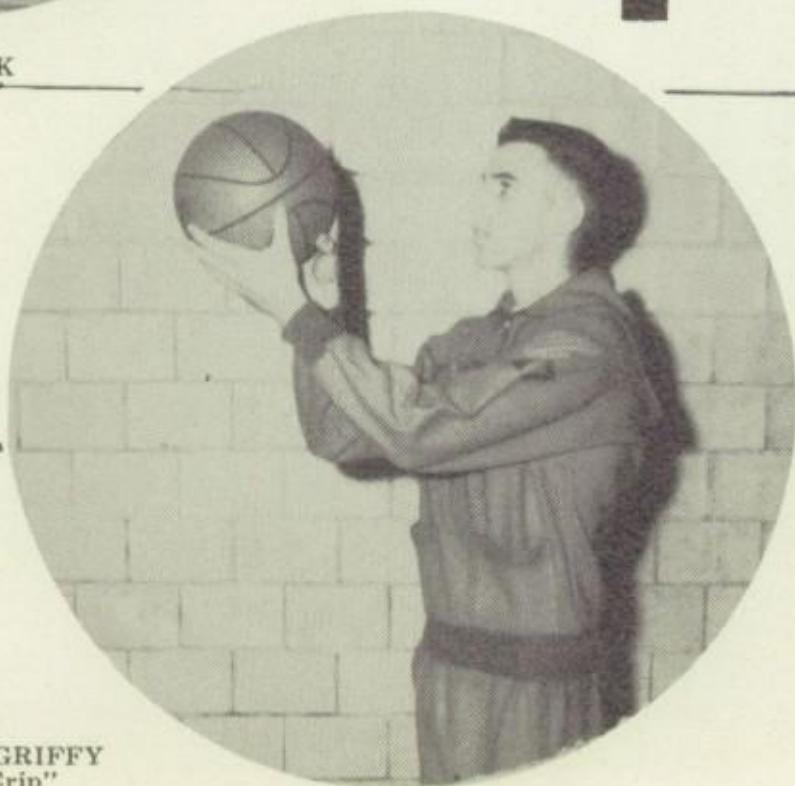
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"Josie"



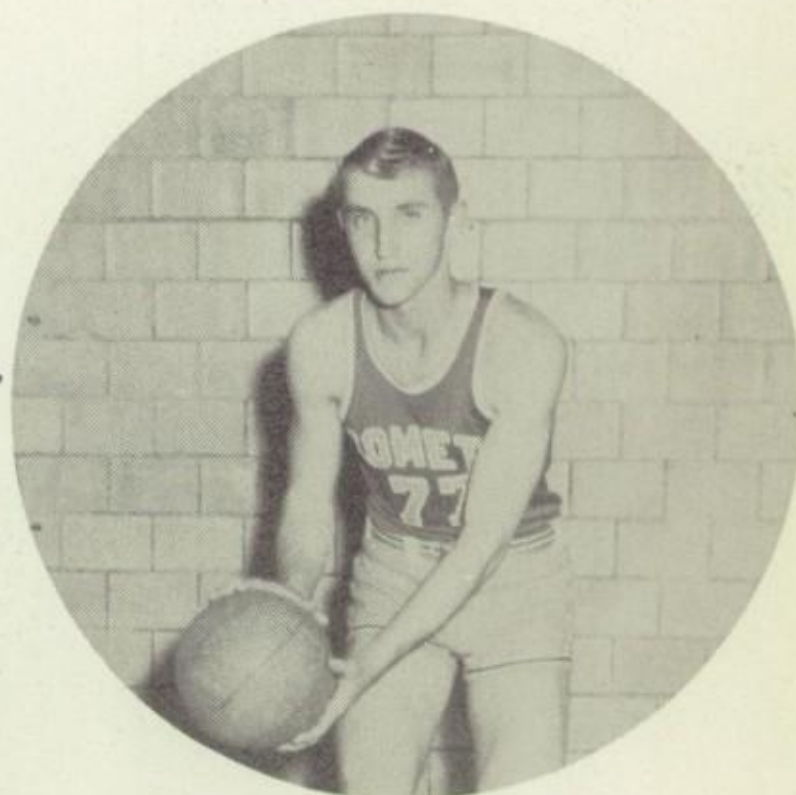
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BILL PINKERTON
"Pinky"

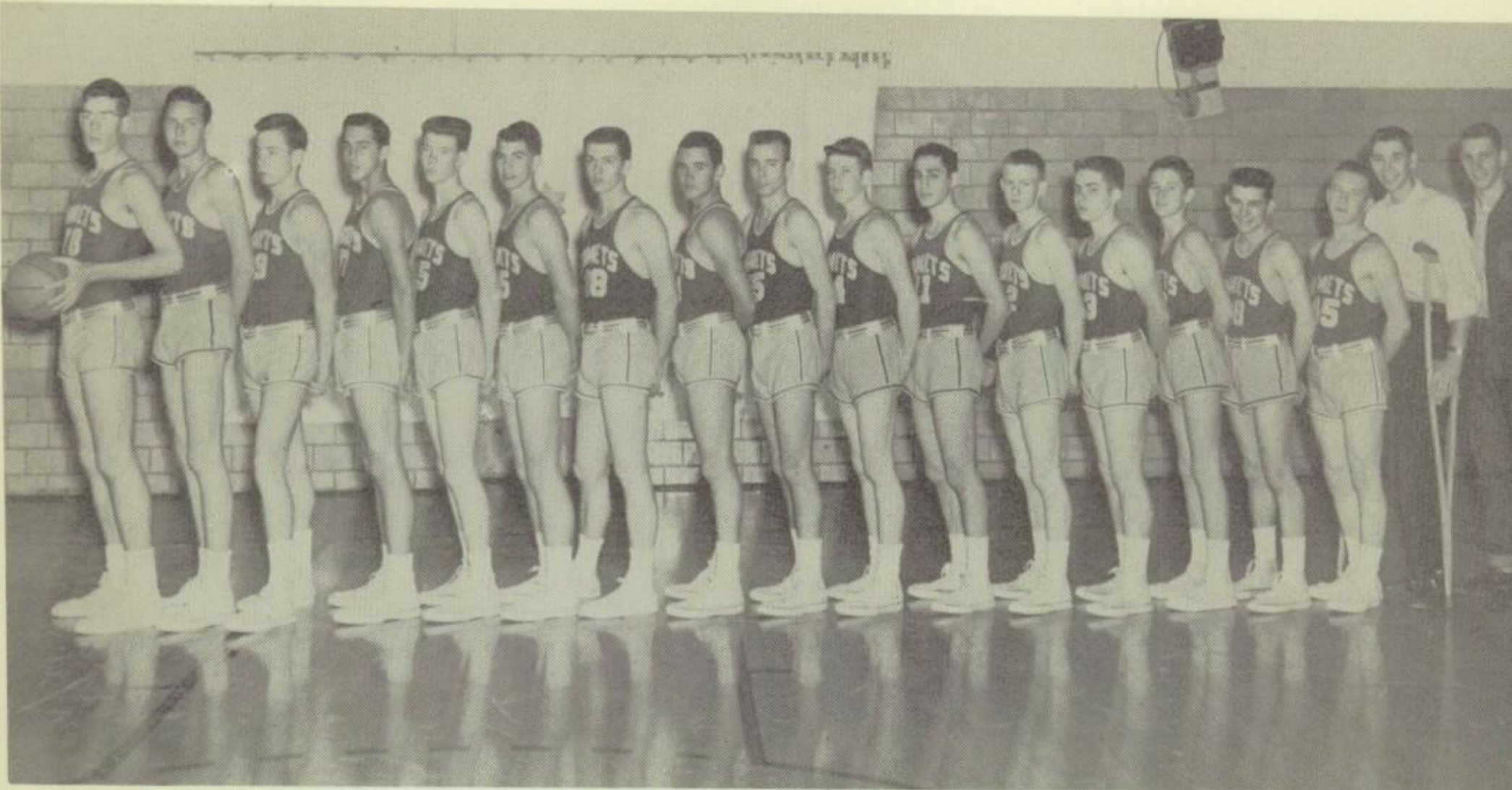


TED GRIFFY
"Crip"



BILL BLACKWELL
"Whitey"

BASKETBALL



Donald Lord, George Adair, Roy Monk, Dwayne Smith, Terry Odom, Allen Paine, Bob House, Allie Reynolds, Phil Lee, Dan Mugg, Leland Massad, Henry Grisham, Clark McPhail, Kent Fleming, Billy Staples, Jack Byrum, Ronnie Donaldson, Dick Sparks, manager.

Basketball "B" Team



These are just a few of the expressions you see at Classen's basketball games. Some people, like John Rose have bored expressions, but most are very enthusiastic. By the way, that isn't a student you see in the middle, it's Mr. England, one of Classen's history teachers.

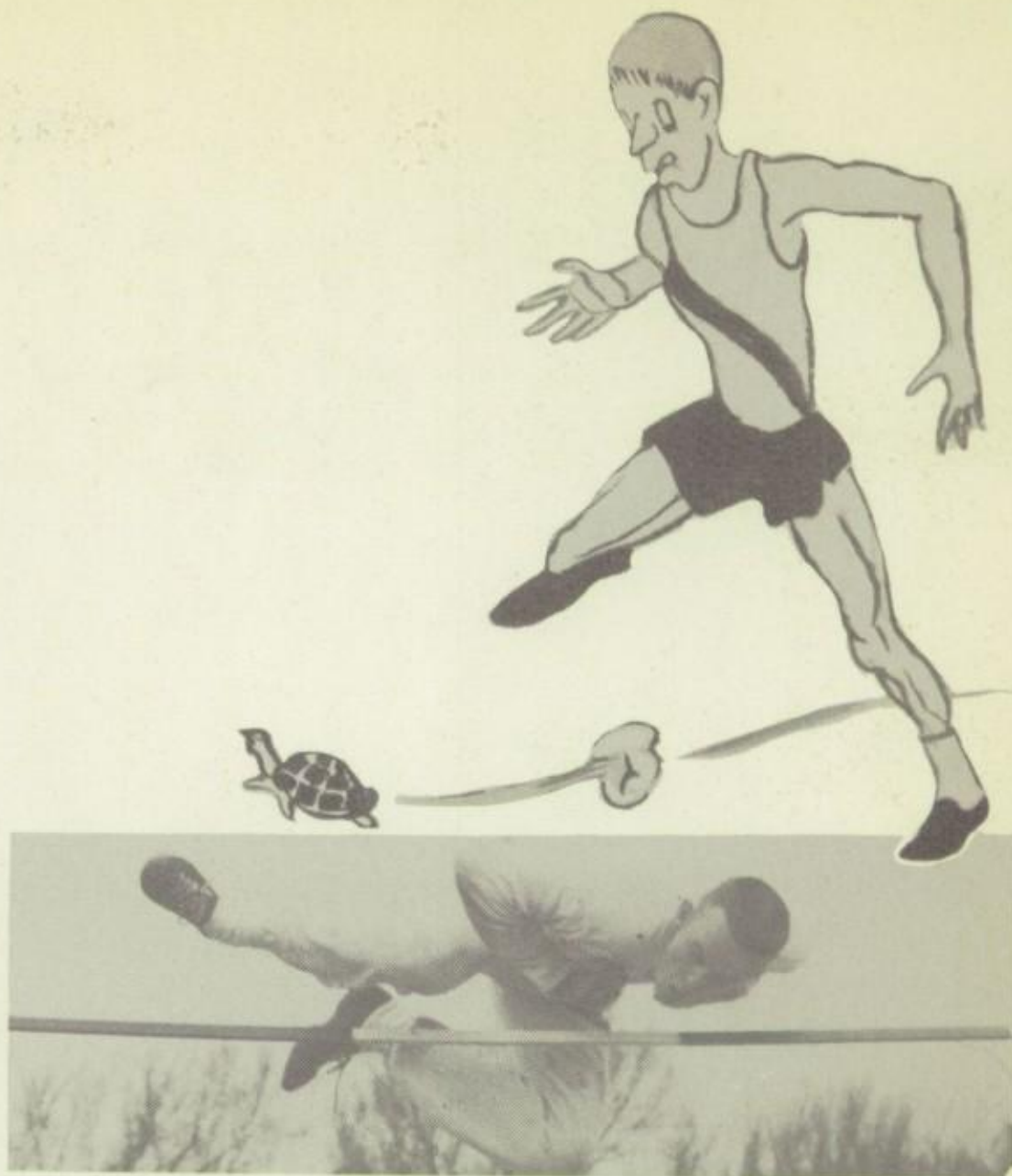


Covar Jeppe, Nan Watkins, Ronnie Frost, Carolyn Carrol, and Jerry Gadd in a typical scene at one of Classen's basketball games.

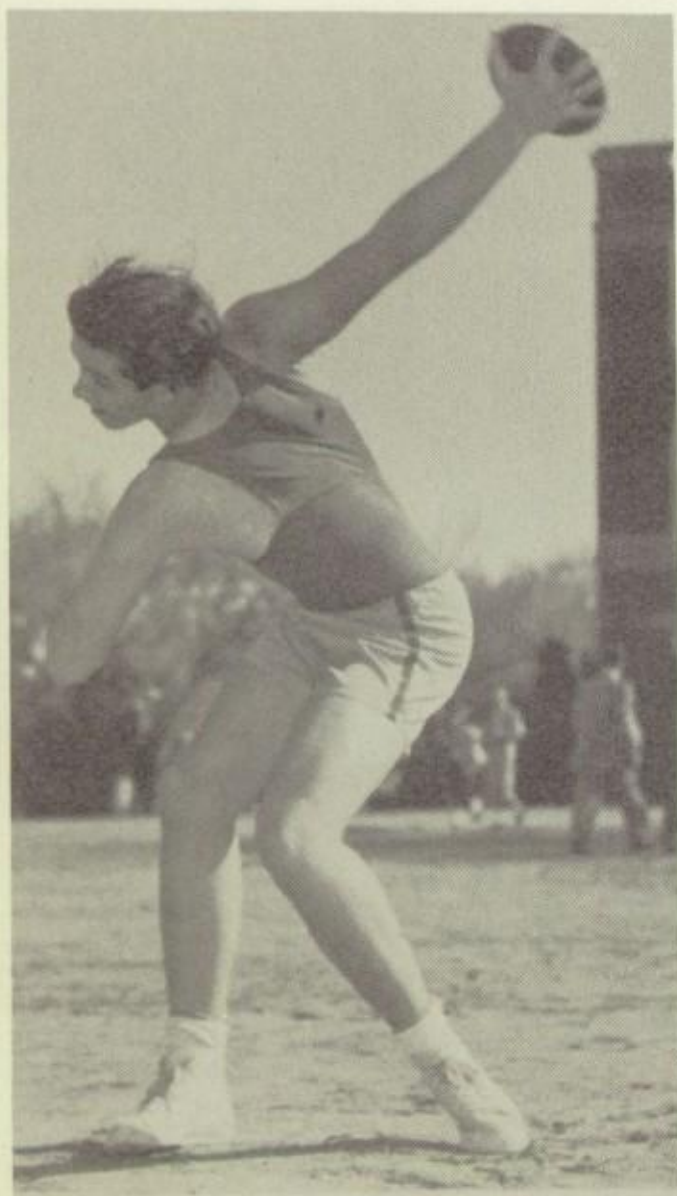
TRACK



A good way to cool off feet is exhibited by hard-working Tommy Cheatwood. (Note hole in sock!)



Jim Lambert shows good high jumping form.



Ronnie Fost shows the style which enabled him to capture first in discus throwing.

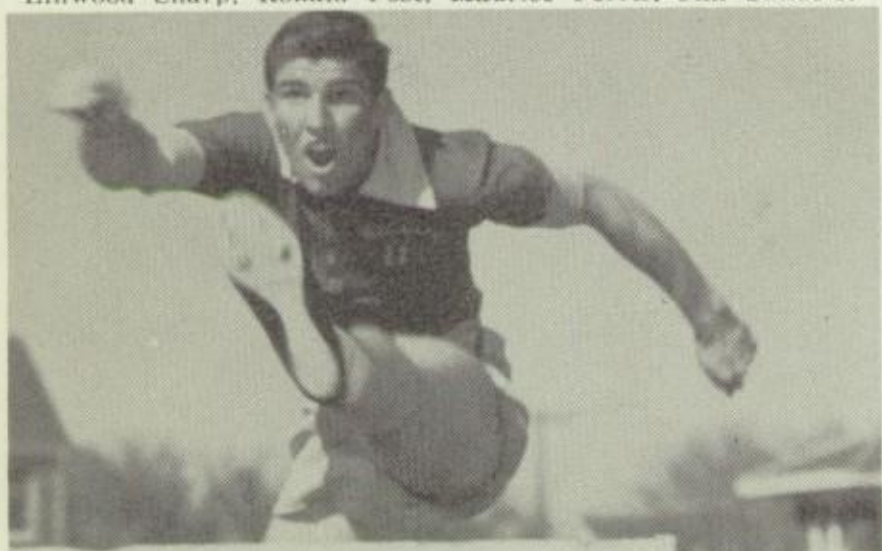


George Susens, Jim Lambert, Bert Payne, Bob Buchanan, Phil Easlon, Jim Sanders, and Keith Ballard receive last minute instructions from Mr. Rex Irwin before an important meet.



ROW 1—Joe Moselv, Phil Easlon, Dick Hall, Jim Lambert, Jack Shaffer, Ned Spence, Jim Groseclose, Keith Ballard.
ROW 2—Bob Olive, Tom Cheatwood, Bert Paine, Rene Crothers, Linwood Sharp, Ronald Fost, Maurice Ferris, Jim Sanders.

ROW 3—Jerry Hoke, John Martindale, Melvin Fox, Bob Baker, Mr. Rex Irwin, Rod Door, Harry Grisham, Jimmy Ditto, Jim Robertson.

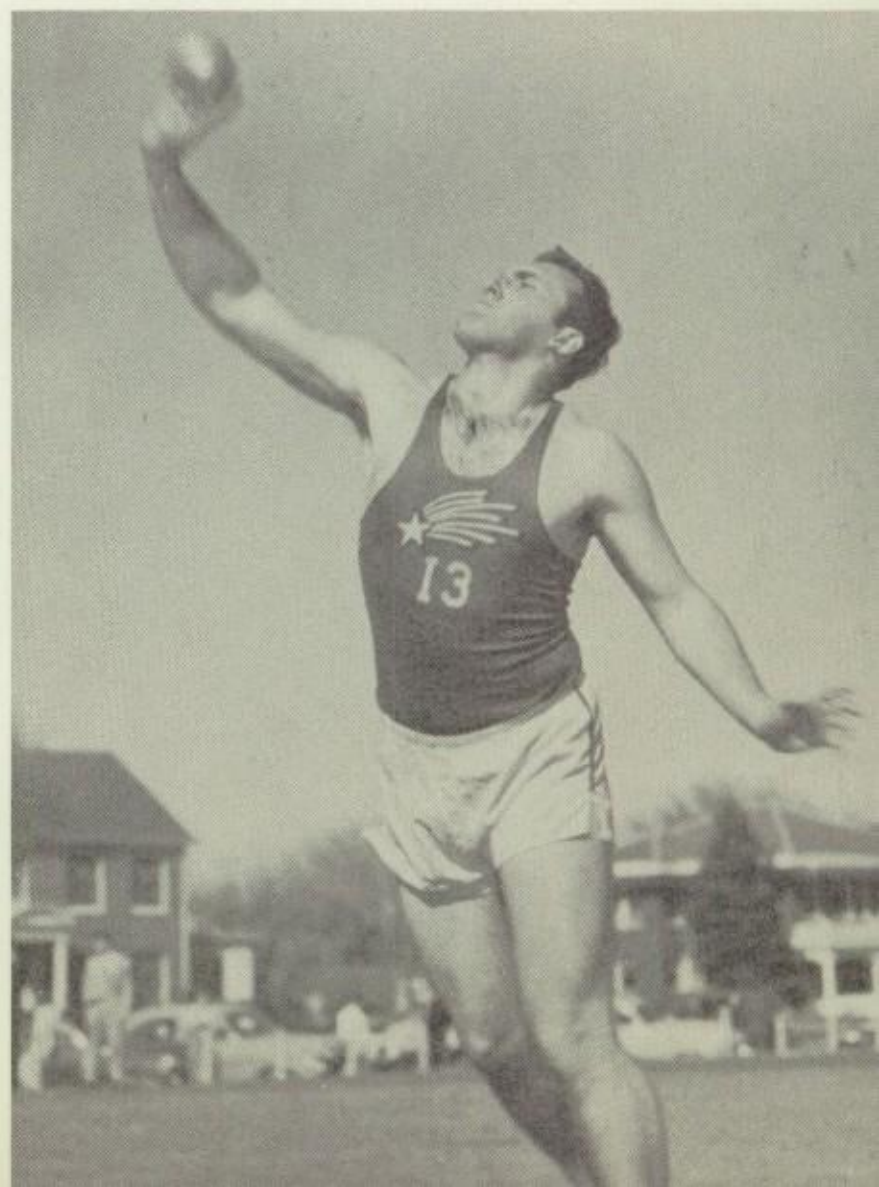


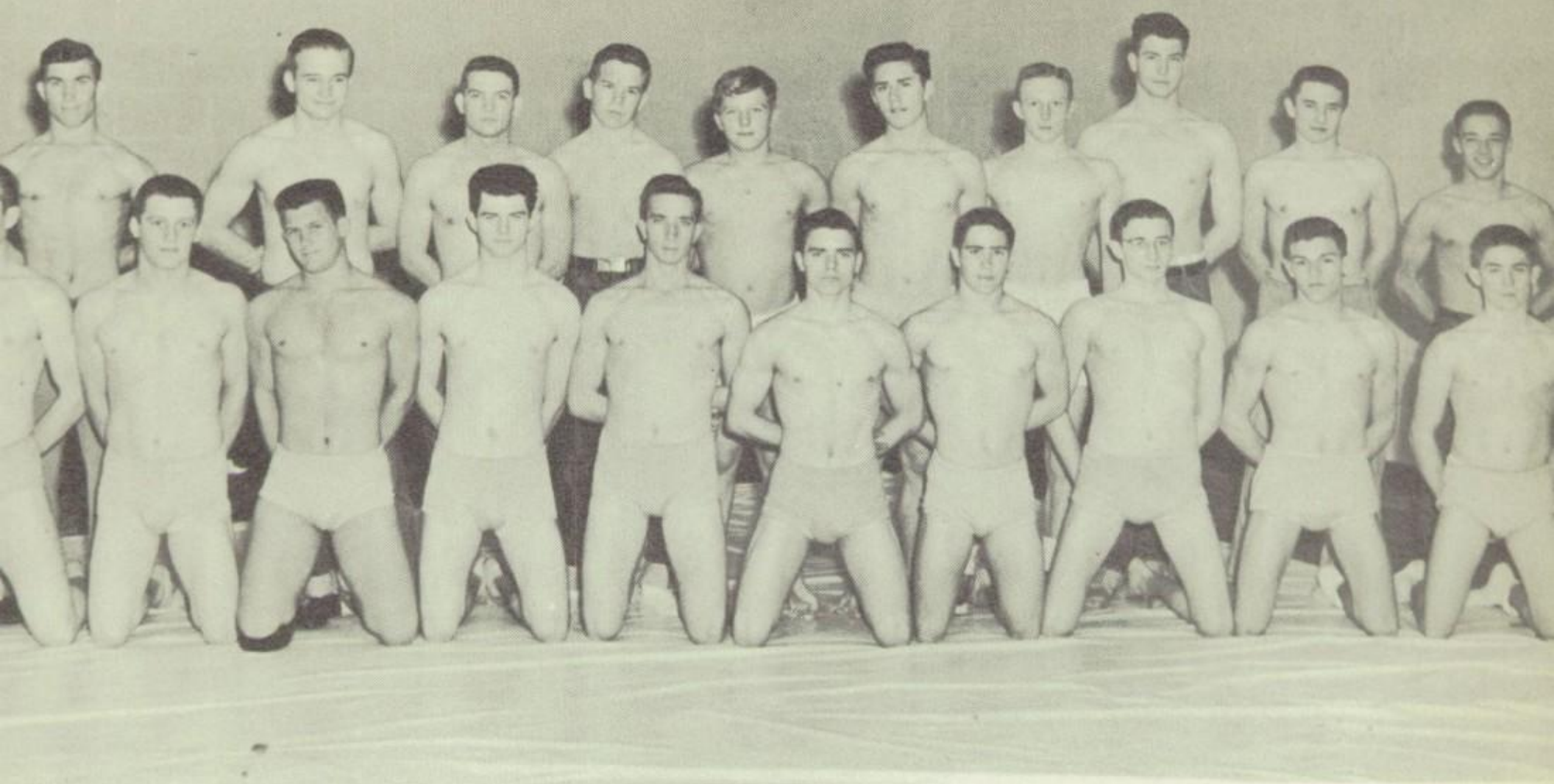
Hey! Phil, which way are ya' heading?



Jim Groseclose, Jack Shaffer and Bob Buchanan make a trial run around the track.

Dick Hall bursting forth with all his brute force for a mighty feet!





Wrestling

ROW 1—Jerry Forbes, John Perkins, Humbert Conner, Richard Shelley, Jim Mosely, Jim Hutchinson, Bert Mann, Russell Hixon, Jerry Hoke, Jerry Pope.
ROW 2 —Jimmy Mapes, David Flemming, Dick Worrell, Paul Bynum, Jim Ferguson, Lovell McMillin, Kenneth Knowles, Charles King, Bob Hunt, Ken White.

Swimming

ROW 1—Jerry Mitchell, Craig Schafer, Anthony Smith, Jerry Salyer, Jake Hoover, John Mellick, Howdy Young, Sanford Goodman, Phil Lambke.
ROW 2—Hal Whitten, Roger Lewis, Harvey Gasper, Bob Murray, Edwin Stahl, Phil Eastman, John Janovy, David Ooten, Gene Jenkins, Jack Bell, Hi Young, Teddy Tomes.





DAL CHRISTENSEN - c



TOM SPEAR - o.f.



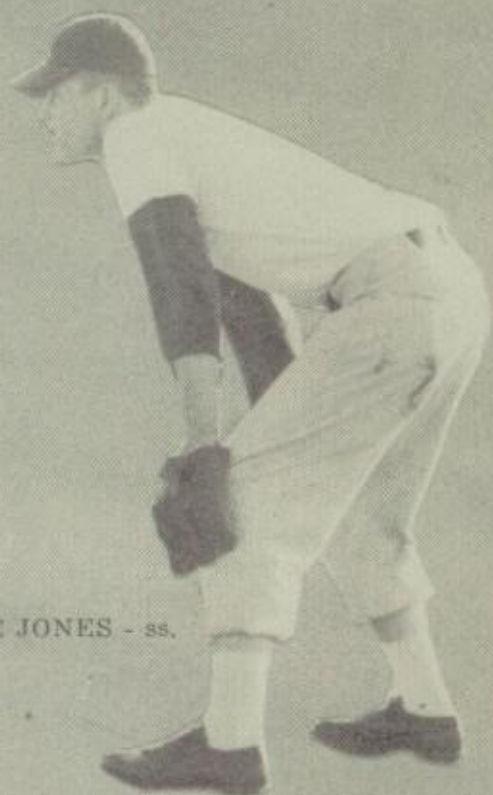
GARY JOHNSON - 3b.



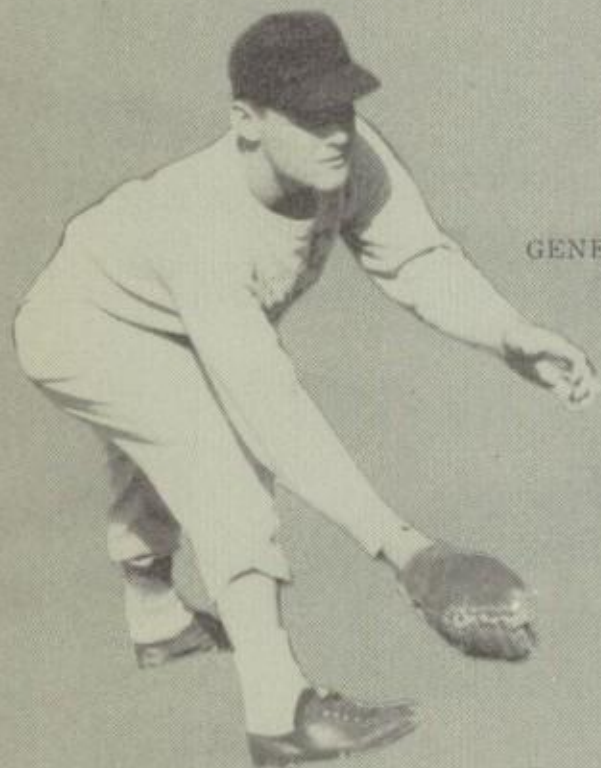
GENE HAZELWOOD - p.



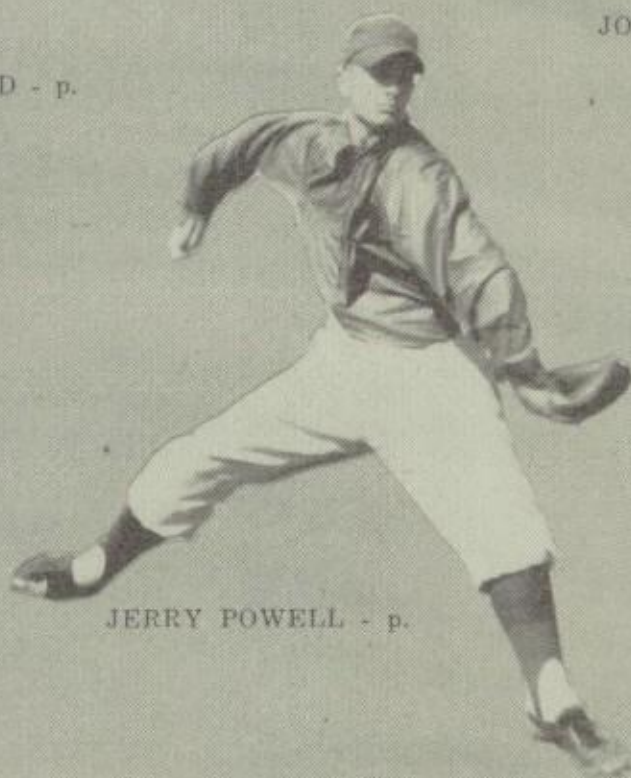
JACK BYRUM - 2b.



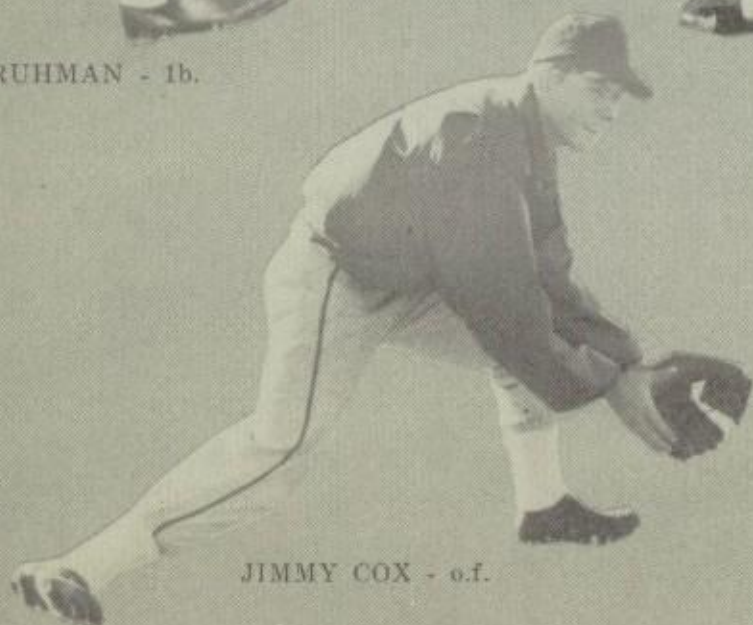
JOE JONES - ss.



KEITH RUHMAN - 1b.



JERRY POWELL - p.



JIMMY COX - o.f.



DAN BROWN - o.f.

Baseball



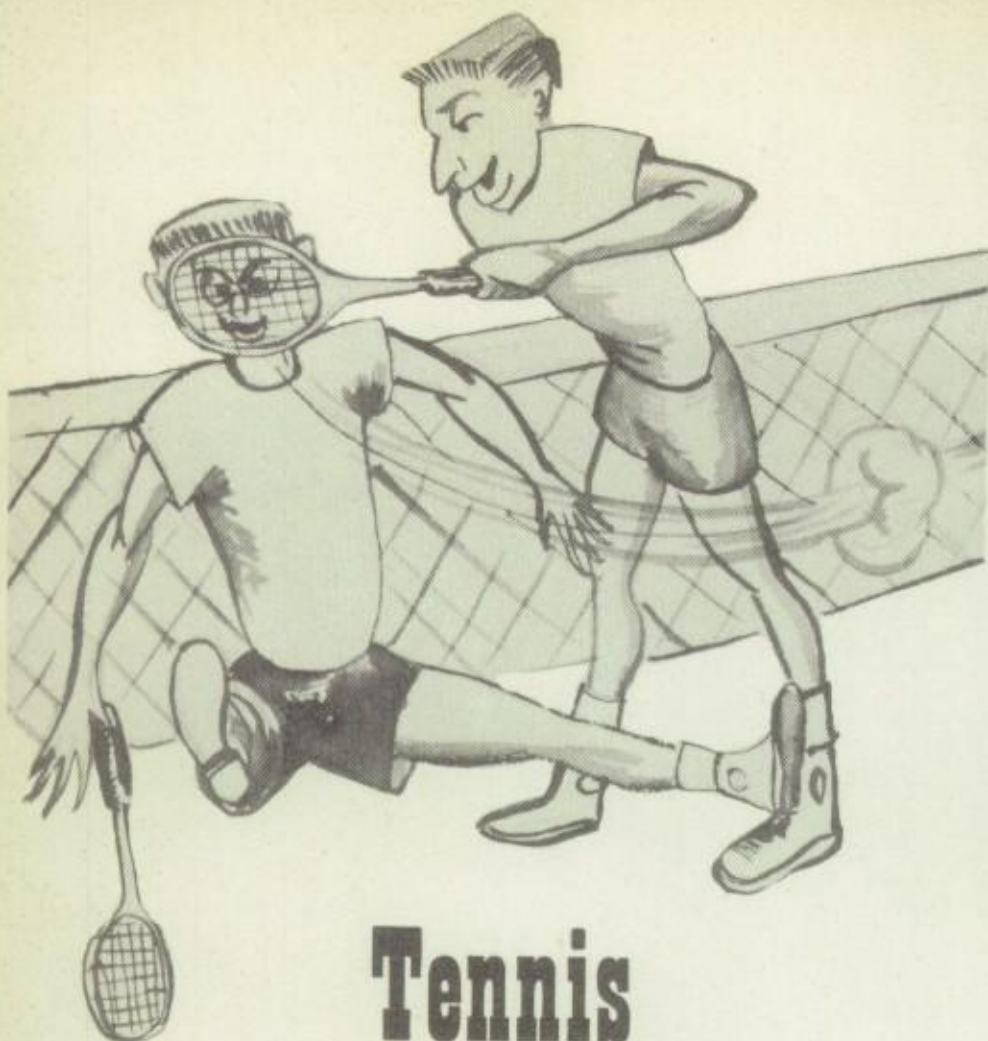
FIRST ROW—Tom Spear, Paul McDaniel, Jack Byrum, Jimmy Cox, Bill Staples, Don Wilson, Jerry Powell.
SECOND ROW—Dan Brown, Gene Hazelwood, Roy Monk, Joe Monk, Gary Johnson, Dal Christensen, Joe Jones, Johnny Perkins, Norman Meyers, Teddy Smith.



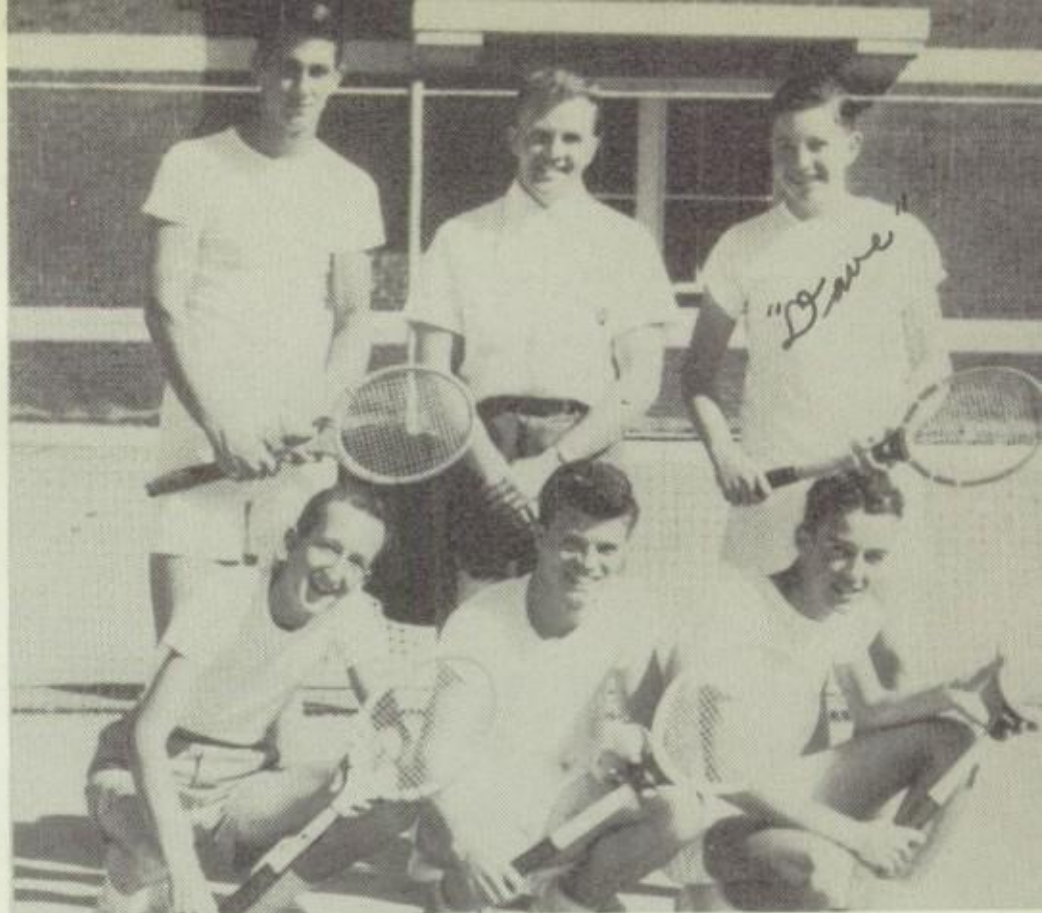
Mr. Clayton Davis and Jerry Powell are discussing how to roll off a curve ball.

Baseball

When Spring arrives, many a boy is interested in ———— Baseball. Classen always manages to have an outstanding team. Being that baseball is the last sport of the school year, and we have such a fine team, it is a good sport to end the season with. At the end of the school year as we leave, not always a winner but a fighting team, we can leave knowing our baseball team took it's place as a champion among sporting teams.



Tennis



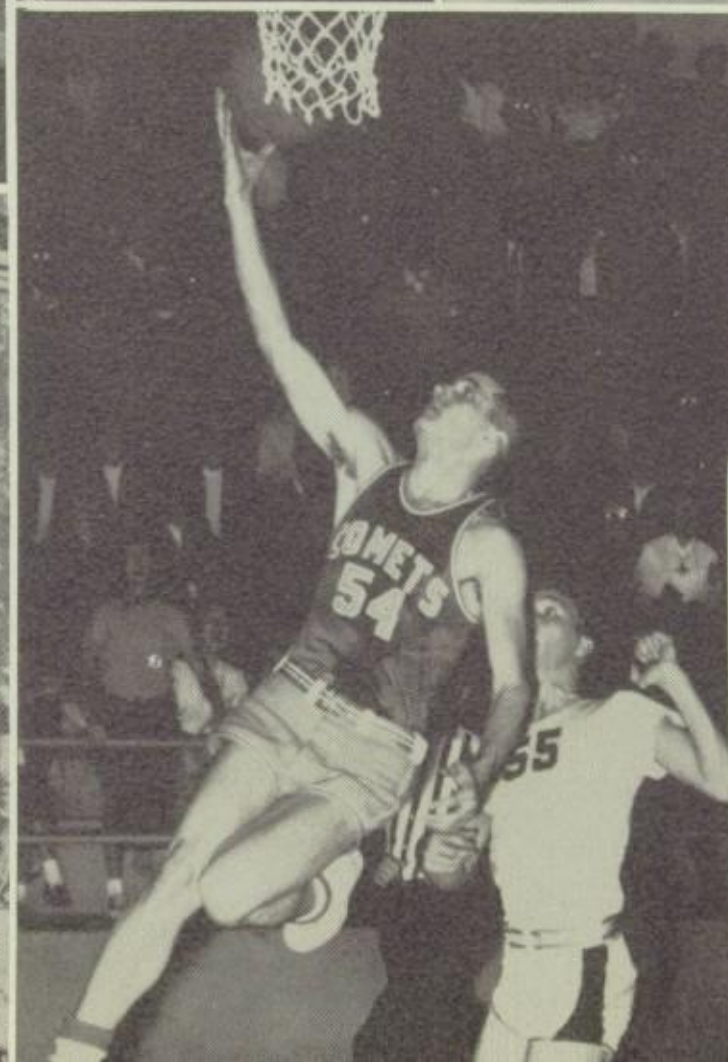
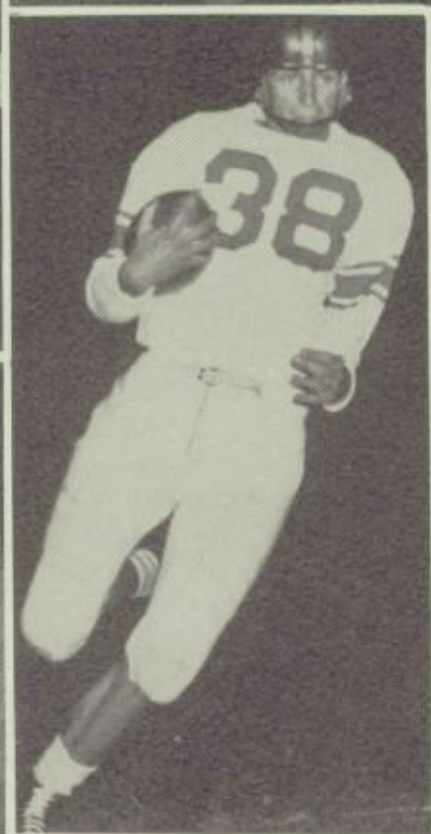
ROW 1: Joe Weaver, Bill Chapel, Pat Buckley. ROW 2: Hal Whitten, Mr. Gene Gilmer, David Willhoite.



ROW 1: Mack McClain, Jim Satterfield, Claude Harris, Robert Hayes. ROW 2: Kent Hanson, Jim Cox, Gordon Estes, Bob Kruger, Joe Harris, George Bruner.

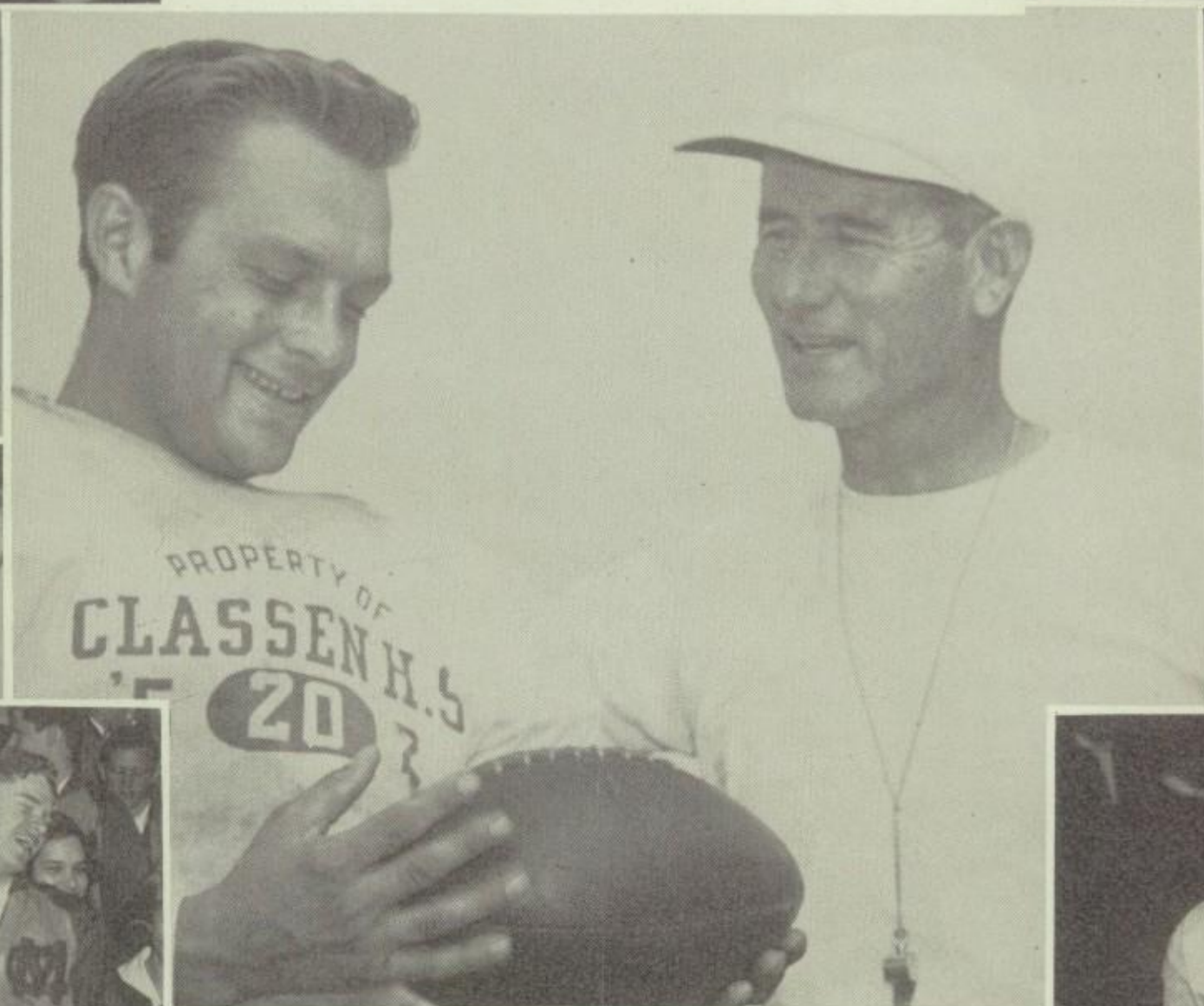
Golf







"The Big Five" shown above are admiring their newly won regional basketball championship trophy. Dan Brown, John Henry, Ed Lyon, Bill Brabbits, and Gary Johnson were the starting five for the Comets on the night of their big victory.



Jim Ingram and Coach Jim Conger took their football seriously, but here they are pictured in one of the lighter moments during daily practice. Contrast: notice Dal Christensen's facial expression in the picture below.





Girl's Softball

The first girl's sport of the season, played in the fall, is softball. These girls play Round Robin with five other highschools in the city. Any girl interested in softball can play on the team. Barbara Barge and Almeda Kessler are captains.

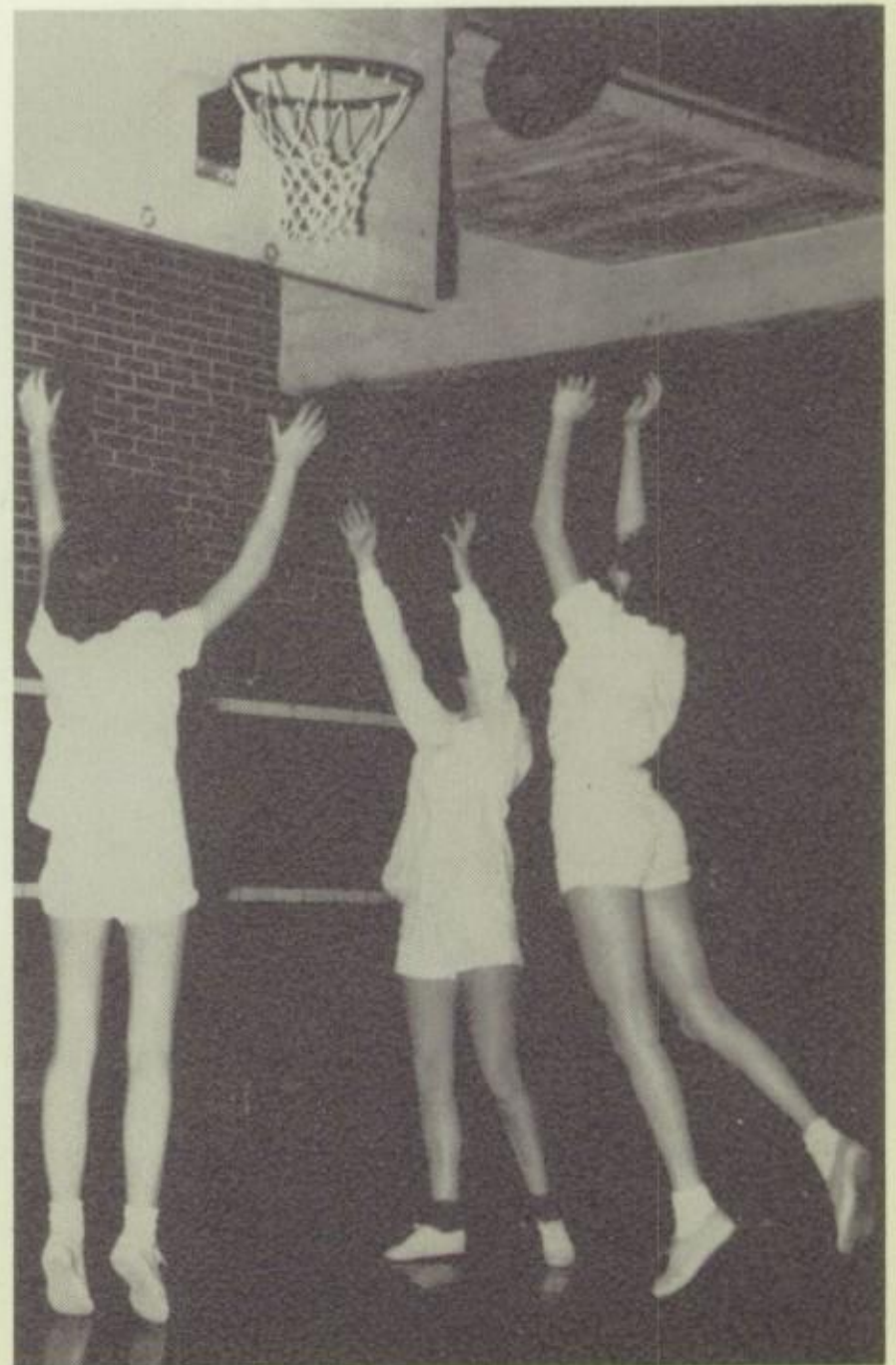
ROW 1—Mary Ann Leaf, Rosanna Grossman, Sue Stoldt, Jo Willard, Barbara Barge.
ROW 2—Jeanie Dearing, Lillian Burrow, Sue Casey, Margaret Hyden, Norma Deffner, Nadine Ross, Almeda Kessler.



Patty Husband slams one over the left field fence.



Joy McBride, slightly on the defensive, awaits the ball for a smashing return.



Three of Classen's budding basketball players reach for the ball.

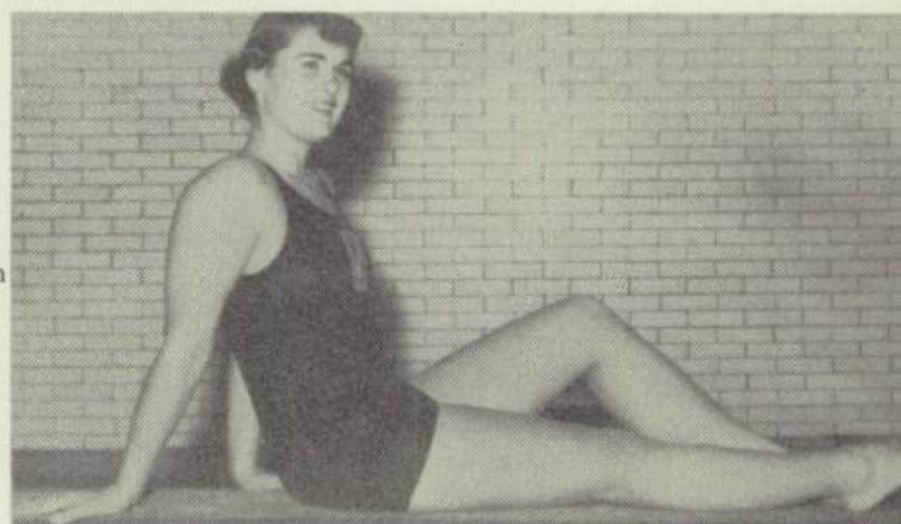


ROW 1—Patte Jean Arnold, Patty Husband, Mariella Mooney, Libby Skalovsky, Sue Ragland.
ROW 2—Peggy Eastman, Judy Manning, Karen Manning, Mariette Tunnell.

Girls' Tennis

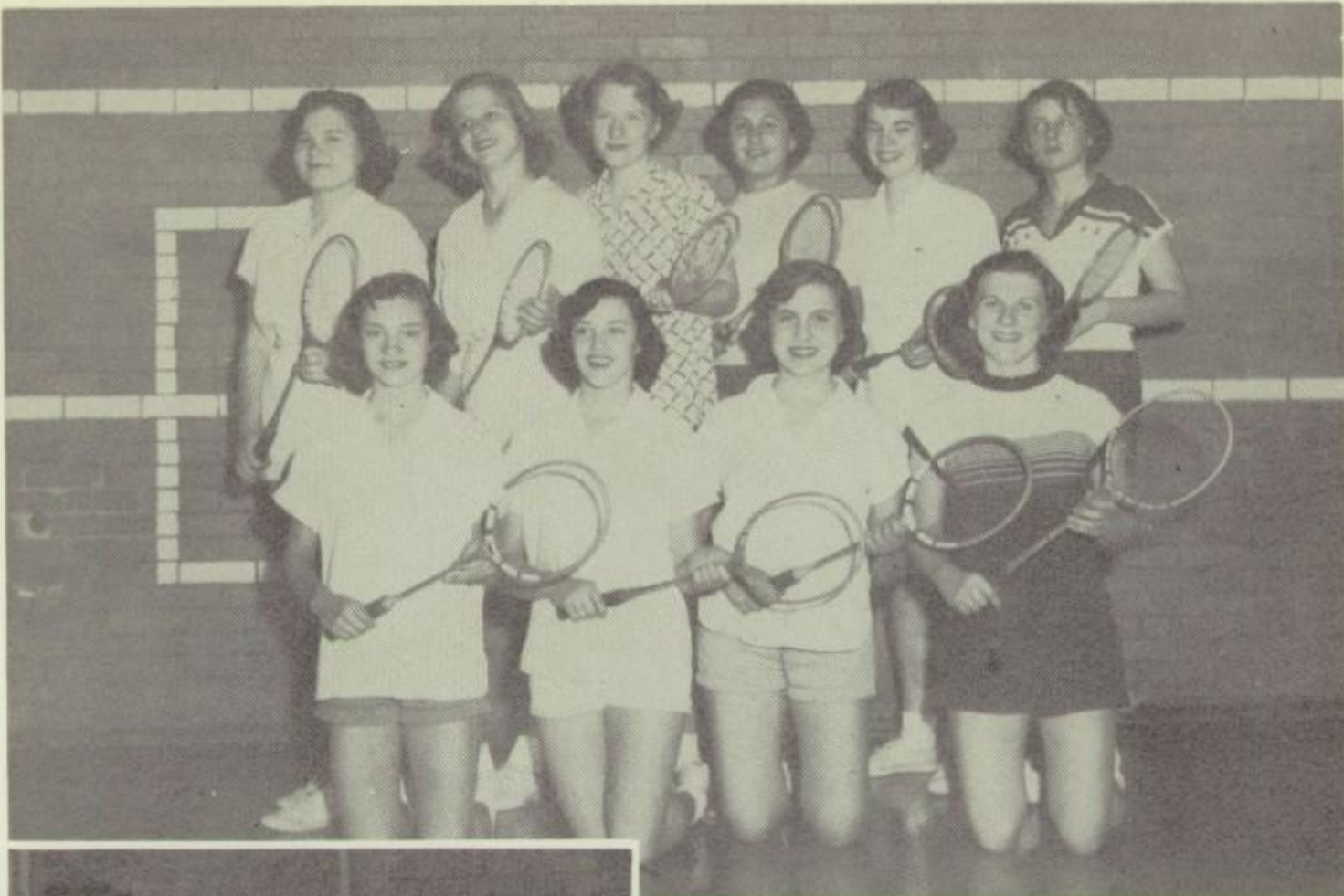
Margaret Whale, star of Classen's girl's swimming team has received many honors for her efforts.

Girls' Swimming



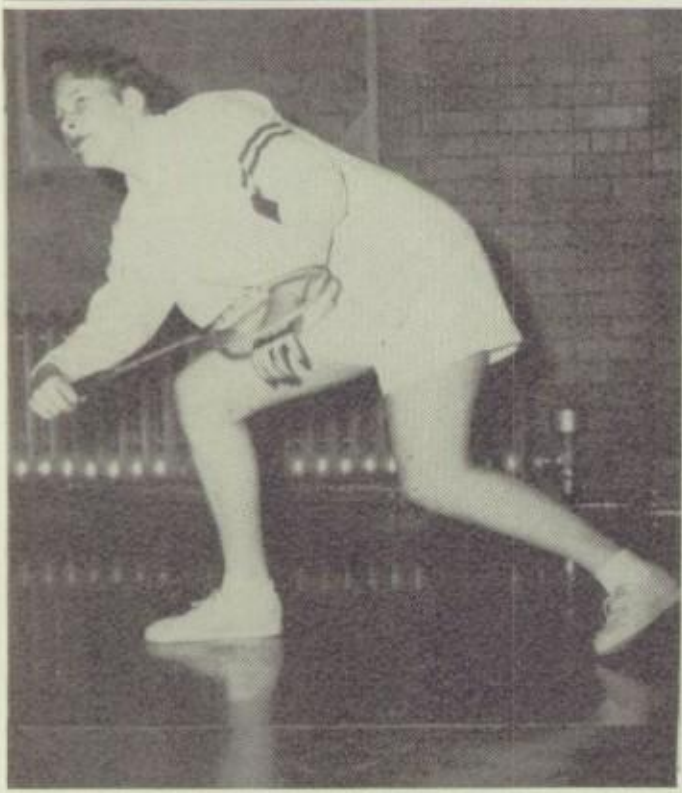
Sarah McCuiston, Margaret Whale, Jacque Montgomery, Ann Lynn, Ann Stephens, Georgia Glenn, Sandra McCommas, Bunny Brown, Judy Mideke.





ROW 1—Mariella Mooney, Eileen Bodenheimer, Linda Shadid, Sue Beard.

ROW 2—Judy Manning, Peggy Eastman, Kathleen Broughton, Libby Skalovsky, Susan Hoover, Marietta Tunnell.



Badminton

Kathleen Broughton is shown demonstrating the professional way to wield a badminton racket.

ROW 1—Patte Jean Arnold, Karen Manning, Sue Beard, Mariella Mooney, Norma Deffner.

ROW 2—Judy Manning, Susan Hoover, Peggy Eastman, Kathleen Broughton, Libby Skalovsky, Marietta Tunnell.





Nan Watkins, Jim Barnes, and Mr. Robyler, are watching Classen's basketball players. Note the look of pride on their faces.



If Lucretia Turner would turn around she would see Tommy Lewis, Patsy Meyers, Kay Hannes, and Kelyyn Cullimore as they discuss something pretty interesting. Louise Priddy seems to have discovered them.



Here Hyla Hyde and Carol Saulsbury the last few minutes of their lunch, chatting before they return to after classes.



Lou Ann Montgomery and Bill Johnson seem to be discussing the possibilities of our basketball team winning state.



Carolyn Clarkson and Beth McMahan find the library a good place to study.



The lunch hours are a good time to in a little sun as Elinore Unruh, Wright, Phil Lambke, Jon Harris Carolyn Gee find out.



Careful! Nancy Strickler has her eye on you. (We received this picture by the courtesy of Vogue magazine.) Yeah, uh hu.



Here is Ronnie Hills, on the job faithful as ever taking pictures for the Orbit.

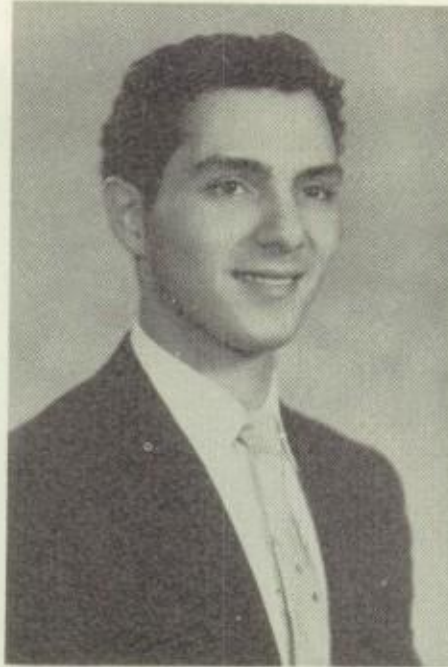


It looks like Gail McDonald is typing out about 60 a minute. (Photo Quiz). Does the torn page indicate anger or speed?

CLASSES



SENIOR CLASS OFFICERS



Maurice Ferris
President



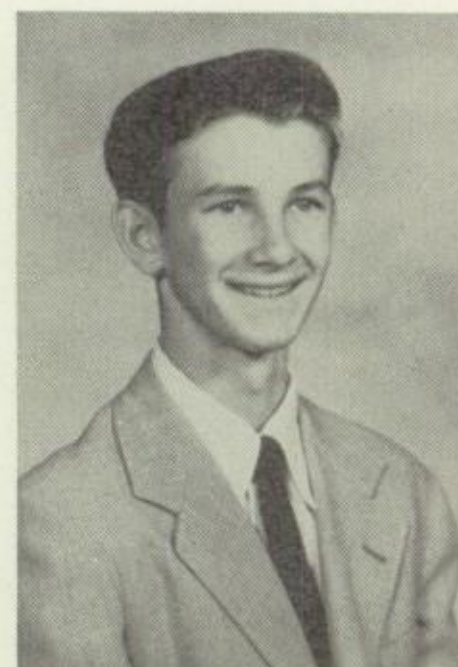
Ed Lyon
Vice President



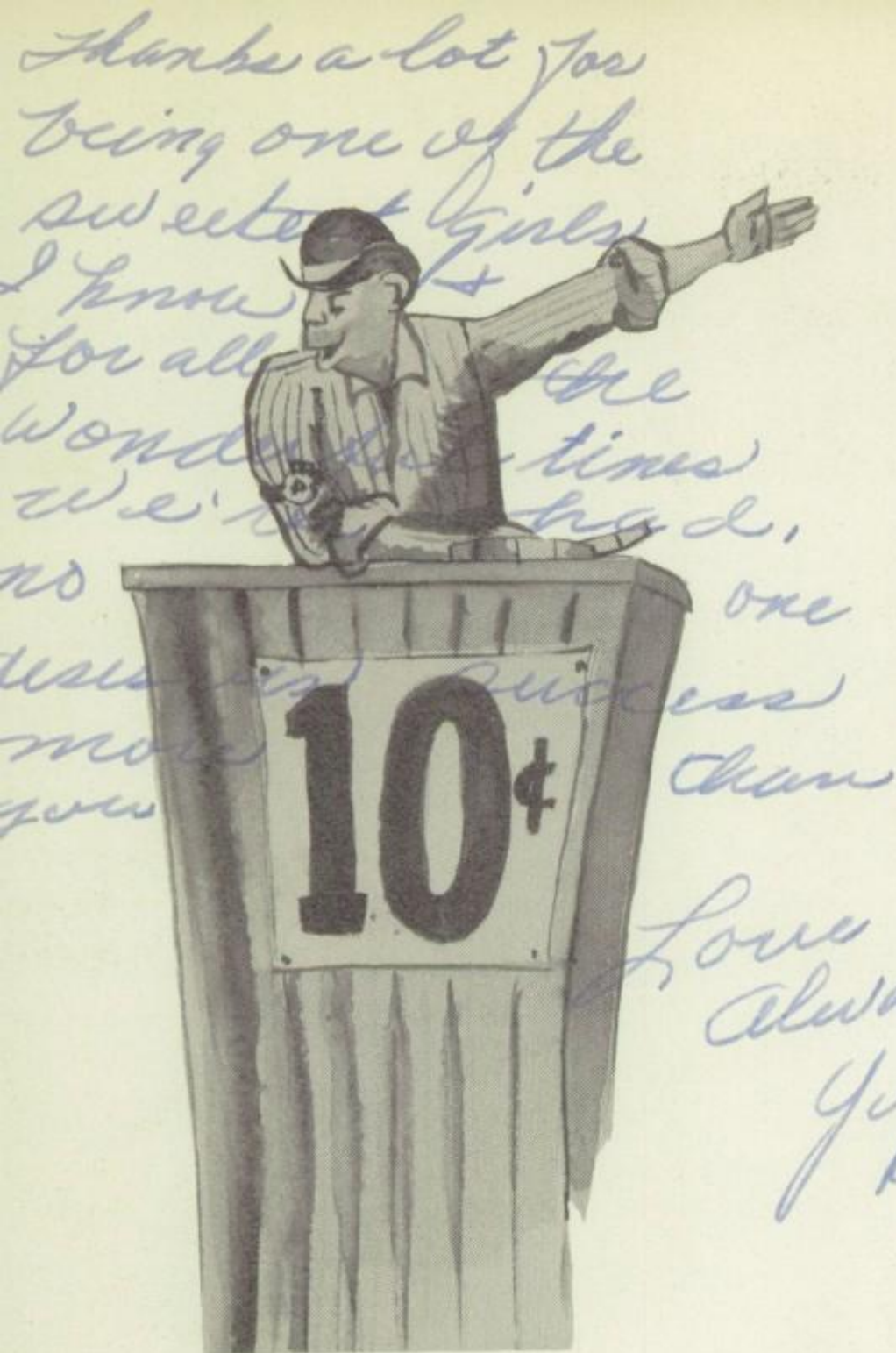
Marian Brown
Secretary



Jo Anna Haun
Treasurer



Harold Messenger
Sergeant at Arms



Miss Lucille Willoughby
Sponsor

Here are the stars of the show, the actors in the center ring. Like the barker, they demand and deserve attention. They are the directors and their enthusiasm puts life into school activities.

Their achievements are many for they have guided the students of Classen highschool through the year from September to May. Idolized by sophomores and envied by juniors they have played their part well.

to Opal Jane. A wonderful person and friend. Just enjoyed knowing you these 3 years. Also thanks for being on the HHS Council this year. Best wishes, Good Luck from [unclear] [unclear]

SENIORS



WATCH YOUR CHILDREN



FRANCES ABELL



SANDRA ABERNATHY



BOB ADAMS



BETTY AIKMAN



GLORIA AKIN



JACK APPELQUIST



JOHN ATWOOD



ELEANOR AUSTIN



CAROLEE AXTELL



SUSIE BAGGETT



NEVA BAIRD



CAROL BAKER



WILONA BAKER



OSCAR BALLARD



BARBARA BARGE



JACK BARLOW



JANET BASSETT



JOHN BATCHELOR



SUE BEARD



JIMMY BEAVER



JUDY BELT



PAULA BELZUNG



JERRY BERNARDY



DARLENE BEST



MARCIA BLACK



SANDY BLACKFORD



And what school could have three lovelier cheer leaders than Jo Anna Haun, Gloria Littrell, and Carol Gallamore?



MARY LOU BLAKELEY



NORMA JEAN BLAKELY



ROSEMARY BOECKMAN



PHYLLIS BOULT



Why aren't they looking at the game? Hummm—that cameraman must have been mighty interesting.



JOE BOUNDS



RICHARD BOX

SENIORS



WATCH YOUR CHILDREN



BILL BRABITS



DONNA BRADLEY



JUNE BRANCH



KATHLEEN BROUGHTON



MEREDITH BROWER



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MARIAN BROWN



VIRGIL BROWNE



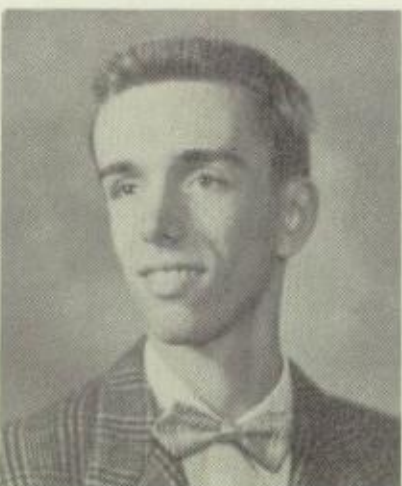
BARRY BRUCE



ALICE BUCHANAN



MARY BURMEISTER



BOB BURNS



EVA BURNS



FRANCES BYERS



DOROTHY BYRCH



DIANE CAREY



ED CARITHERS



HAL CARPENTER



CAROLYN CARROL



HOMER CARY



ROBERT CASE



J. D. CASEY



BARBARA CASSILL



JOHN CAUGHRON



ROY CHANDLER



BILL CHAPEL



HELEN CHAPBURN



DAL CHRISTENSEN



Ed Carithers and Jack Appelquist are wondering what Mrs. Tucker is doing with those important looking wires.



JIMMY CLAPP



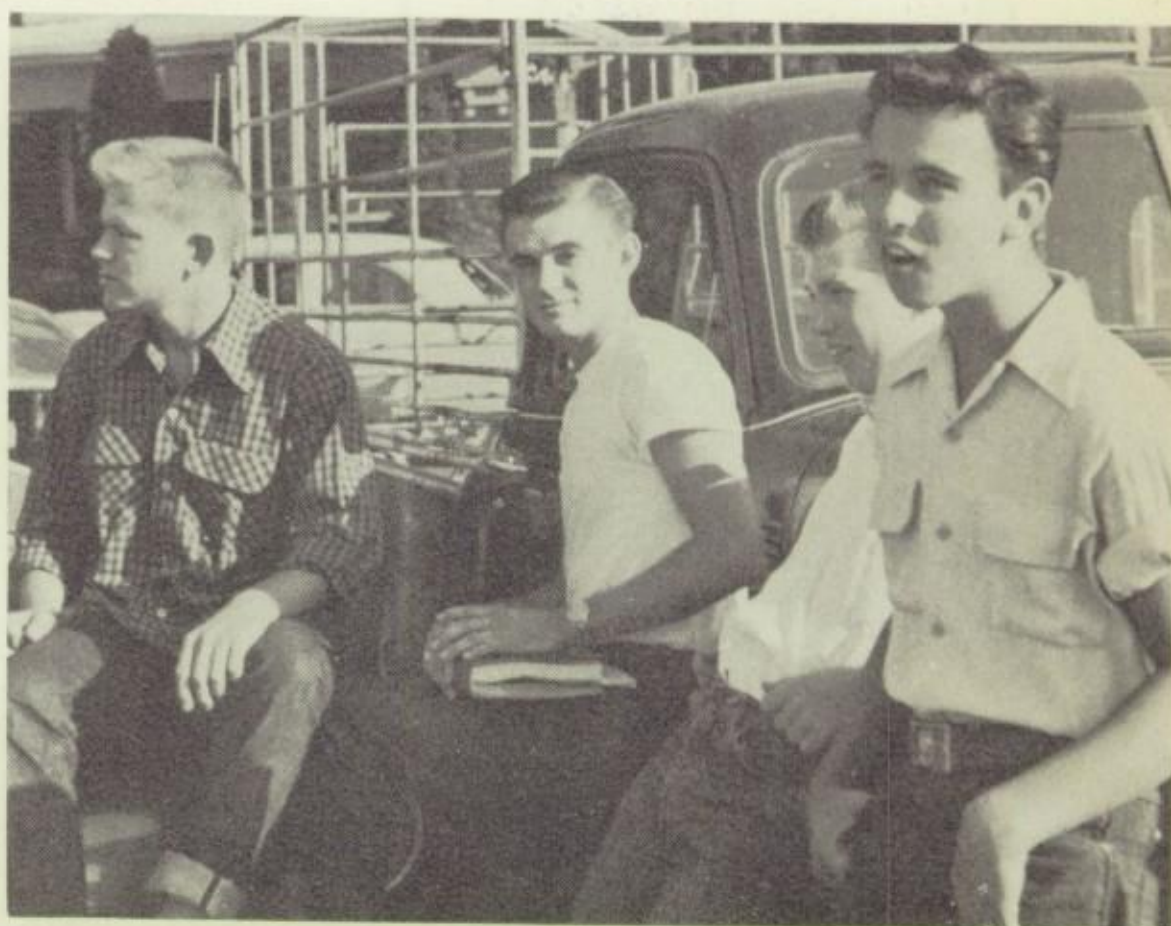
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JOE CLAYTON

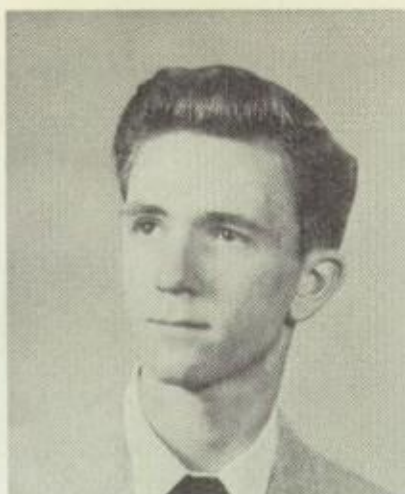


Lonnie Taylor, Ken Williams, Butch Bennett, and Cecil Carson. Nice specimens of Classen's male section.

SENIORS



WATCH YOUR CHILDREN



BRUCE COCHRAN



ALLEN COGGINS



JOYCE COLLINS



LARRY COLLINS



NORMA COLVILLE



MARILYN COLWELL



HUMBERT CONNER



GENE COOK



HAROLD CORE



DON COSGROVE



DAN COSTLEY



HAROLD COUCH



BOB COUDEN



CORRINNA COX



MIKE CRALLE



NORMAN CREWS



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SYLVIA DAVIS



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DIANE DEAN



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PAGE DOBSON



RONNIE DODSON



ROGER DONELSON



CLARK DOUGHERTY



Lucky Hyla Hyde! The early bird gets the worm. But Joe Bounds and Cristina Nagel are going to indulge anyway.



Jane Kroeger washes her teeth in Classen's newest water fountain.

SENIORS



WATCH YOUR CHILDREN



HERSHEL DOUGLAS



CAROL DUFFORD



JOHNNY DUKEMINIER



ROGER EARLY



BARBARA EICHOR



ROBERT ELLISON



TONITA ENGLE



EMILY EVANS



ANNETTE FAGIN



DICK FEARNOW



BILL FELDSHAW



MERIAN FERRIN



MAURICE FERRIS



JIM FINNEY



MIKE FISHER



PAT FLEMING



JERRY FORBES



RONALD FORD



JANICE FREELAND



MARILYN FULLER



TOM FULLER



AVA LEE FULLERTON



CARRIE FUZZELL



JAMES GALBRAITH



JOHN GALBRAITH



CAROL GALLAMORE



STANLEY GAROUTTE



GAY GARRETT



Tom Terrill is in the act of crowning (?) Carolyn Gee, the new Blue Jacket Queen.



DIETER GASSMANN



CAROLYN GEE



GILES GERE



JOHN GIEB



Goodness Elinor, but you look radiant. Could it be that you are our new Meteor Queen?

SENIORS



WATCH YOUR CHILDREN



BEVERLY GILLESPIE



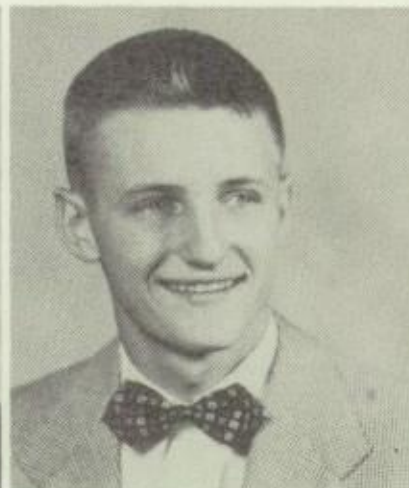
JAY GLADSTEIN



ALICE RAY GLASGOW



GARY GOADE



GARY GOFORTH



MONTE GOLDMAN



SANFORD GOODMAN



DOLORES GORDON



GLORIA GRAVES



PHOEBE GROSECLOSE



ROSANNA GROSSMAN



DICK HALL



MARY HALL



KAY HANESS



JOHN HARBAUGH



DALE HARBOLT



CLAUDE HARRIS



DIANN HARRIS



JOYCE HARRIS



WENDOLYN HARRISON



MARVIN HART



MILBURN HART



NELLYNE HART



WANDA HARVEY



ANN HATHAWAY



JO ANNA HAUN



LEAH RAE HAYES



RICHARD HAYES



Cathy Miracle, future Classenite and present Classette mascot seems quite absorbed with one of the Classen pep rallies.



ROBERT HAYES



PHYLLIS HAZEL



GENE HAZELWOOD



PATRICIA HEAD



Dal Christensen and Louise Priddy still manage to look pretty happy at the Enid football game, even if Classen did lose.

SENIORS



WATCH YOUR CHILDREN



JOEL HEFLEY



JOHN HENRY



RICHARD HICKS



GINGER HIGHLEYMAN



FAITH HIMELFARB



SANDRA HINER



ALAN HIRSCHFIELD



RUSSELL HIXON



ALICE HODGES



JERRY HOLIDAY



DOLORES HOLLOWAY



JAKE HOOVER



ANN HOPKINS



JAMES HORN



NANCY HUDSON



GENE HUEY



KAROL JANN HUGHES



SONDRA HUGHES



CAROLYN HUMBLE



ORPHA HUMPHREYS



BOBBY HUNT



JANE HUNT



NANCY HUNT



MARGARET HYDEN



PHILLIP INCE



SYLVIA JANGER



ROBERT JARMON



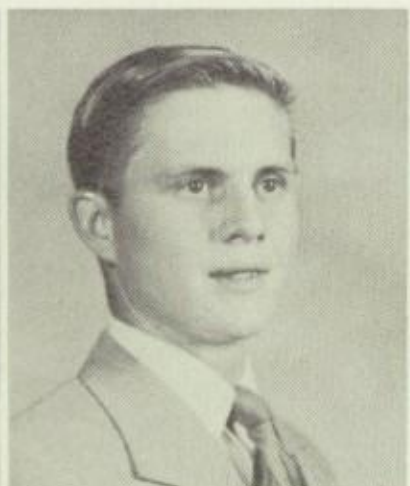
PATSY JEFFREY



Betty Aikman, Classette president, is certainly proud of her jacket and flower presented to her by the Classettes at their Comet Capers.



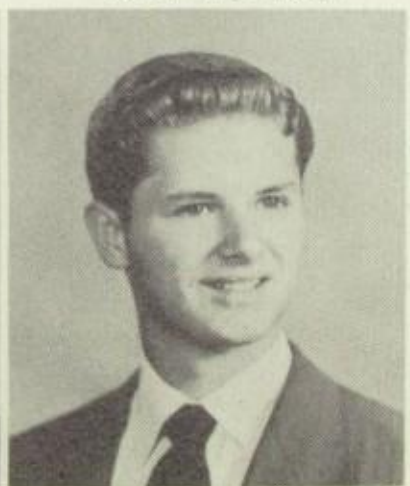
COVAR JEPPE



BILL JOHNSON



GARY JOHNSON



BOBBY JONES



Right side up or upside down, it's still Roger Lewis clowning during the Orbit assembly.

SENIORS



WATCH YOUR CHILDREN



BUDDY JONES



GAIL JONES



WILTOMA JONES



CAROLYN JORSKI



BEULAH KAIL



CONRAD KEIL



BEVERLY KELLY



YVONNE KELSEOE



GAYLE KENNEY



NANCY KERR



ALMEDA KESSLER



SANDRA KIRBY



JAMES KLAAS



CLAUDETTE KLINE



JOHNNIE KLOPPENSTEIN



KENNETH KNOWLES



BOB KRUGER



LYNDAL HELEN KUHN



BEVERLY LAMBERT



PHIL LAMBKE



BYRON LAMUN



FRANCES LANGHAM



JANICE LEARY



SANDRA LEWALLAN



GWEN LEWELLEN



TOM LEWIS



MIKE LINDSAY



DONALD RAY LISLE



Who's afraid of the big bad wolf? ? ? That's just Dianne Rowland playing the villain for the Classettes Comet Capers before a game with the Shawnee Wolves.



BILL LITTLETON



GLORIA LITTRELL



CAROLYN LOVEJOY



MARC LOWRANCE



Bob Curran does look a little happier than his sad faced friend, Emmett Kelley of Ringling Brothers, Barnum, and Bailey Circus.

SENIORS



WATCH YOUR CHILDREN



CHARLES LUKE



JACK LUMAN



ETOLIA LUNDY



NORMA LYNCH



ED LYON



CHUCK McCLELLAND



PAT McCULLAR



MARLYS McCULLOUGH



CAROL McDONALD



DON McDOWN



MARY McGEE



SHIRLEY MCGUIRE



EMMA MCKENZIE



BETH McMAHAN



MARJORIE MacCARTNEY



RICHARD MACKEY



MARCELINE MAHAFFY



BURT MANN



MONTY MANN



JUDY MANNING



JIMMY MAPES



JEANNE MARSHALL



CLARA MARTIN



NANCY MARTIN



JARMILA MATTIS



JEAN MAULDIN



RALPH MAY



JEANNE MEAGHER



Jo Anna Haun —



PATSY MEEHAN



JOHN MELICK



MARILYN MERKEL



HAROLD MESSENGER



and Suzanne Stanley look like Queens during the Orbit assembly. These two lovely girls were candidates for Orbit Queen. (Notice the expression on Dick Spark's face at the left in the lower picture.)

SENIORS



WATCH YOUR CHILDREN



PATSY MEYER



C. F. MILLER



COLLEEN MILLER



JERRY MILLER



JIM MILLER



SALLIE MILLER



SHIRLEY MILLIGAN



JERRY MITCHELL



ROSALIND MITCHELL



JOE MONK



LOU ANN MONTGOMERY



MYRNA MOORE



RICHARD MOORE



VERA MOORE



MARJORIE MORELAND



MARILYN MOREY



JIM MOSELEY



LOREN MOSES



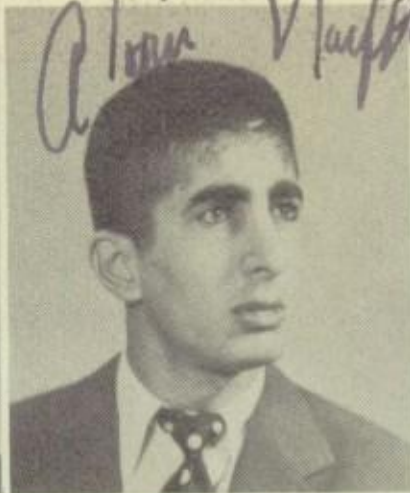
MARILYN SUE MOTLEY



JOYCE MYERS



NORMAN MYERS



ALVIN NAIFEH



DON NELSON



JIMMYE NELSON



MARILYN NICHOLAS



DAVID NIENHAUS



CONNIE OGDEN



MARGARET ANN OHLS



What a choice it must have been —



MARY OLIVER



ROBERT ORCUTT



JERE OSBURN



CAROLYN OTEY



to choose between the five of them. Betty Aikman and Marian Brown, two of the Orbit Queen candidates.

SENIORS



WATCH YOUR CHILDREN



PATRICIA OWEN



MARILYN PATRIC



MARILYN PECK



JOHN PERKINS



DON PERRYMAN



NORA PEVSNER



CAROLYN PEYTON



MAROLYN PEYTON



GAYLE PICKETT



LEWIS PIERCE



PAT PRUNER



JEROME POPE



SANDRA POPE



STANLEY PORCH



DONNA POWELL



JERRY POWELL



JIM POWERS



JANEY PRICE



LOUISE PRIDDY



PAT PUCKETT



RON WRIGHT PURYEAR



BOB RANDAL



DAVID RANDALL



DONALD REED



MARTHA REEDY



MARILYN REEVES



GEORGE RETTBERG



SUSIE RICHARDS



How would you like to have this under your Christmas tree?
That's Paula Belzung our 1953 Orbit Queen.



HERBY ROBERTS



NANCY ROBERTSON



GAYLE ROGERS



DIANE ROWLAND



Myralin Gallaspy, Jimmy Durant, Phyllis Hazel, and Bob Curran
at 6:00 in the morning. They went to watch the circus train
unload, to get ideas for the 1953 Orbit.

SENIORS



WATCH YOUR CHILDREN



KEITH RUHMAN



RAY RUSH



JERRY SAYLER



DOROTHY SAUNKEAH



JOHN R. SCANLAN



CRAIG SCHAFER



MARY JANE SCHEELE



BOB SCHNONENBERG



KIPP SCHUESSLER



HARRY SCOTT



BOB SCRUGGS



CAROLYN SEALY



DOROTHY SEAY



NORMAN SEWARD



FLORENCE SHADID



YVONNE SHADID



BOB SHAHAN



BENNY SHARP



RICHARD SHELLEY



JACKIE SHELTON



BEVERLY SHERMAN



KENNETH SIMMONS



KATHLEEN SIMON



MURIEL SIMPSON



RUTH ANN SINCLAIR



LIBBY SKALOVSKY



NAOMI SKALOVSKY



RONALD SLOAN



Mr. Cunningham and Frances Abell just don't impress Jerry Bernardy.



ANTHONY SMITH



MARGIE SMITH



OPAL JANE SMITH



SHIRLEY SMITH



The Blue Jackets, shown here leaving a pep rally, show wonderful spirit at every game throughout the year.

SENIORS



WATCH YOUR CHILDREN



SHIRLEY SNODDY



NORMA SOUTHARD



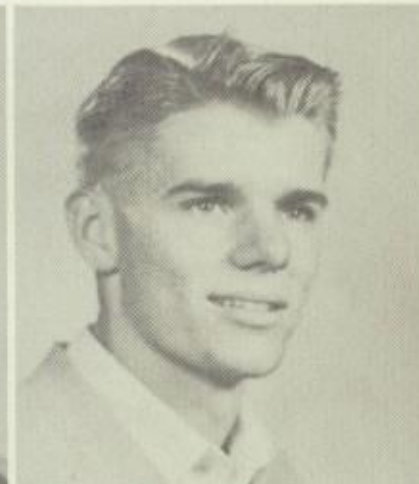
DICK SPARKS



ETHEL SPARKS



NED SPENCE



CHARLES SPENCER



JO ANN STACKPOLE



NINA STALEY



SUZANNE STANLEY



DORIS STANTON



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BILL STEDDUM



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HAROLD STEPHENS



ANNA LEE STEWART



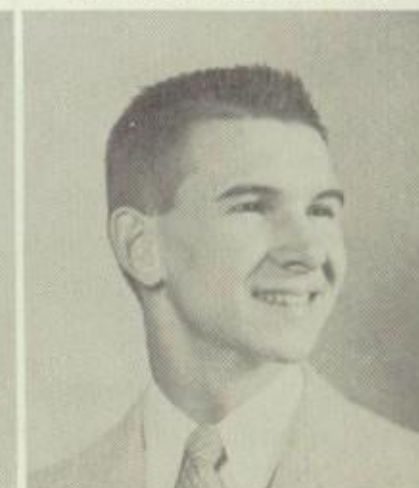
ANNE STEWART



SUE STOLDT



DORIS JEAN STRAUCH



MIKE STUART



EDDIE STURM



GEORGE STURM



SHIRLEY SUGGS



LETHA JO SULLIVAN



SHIRLEY JEAN TARRANT



DONALD TAYLOR



SCOTT TAYLOR



XANDRA TAYLOR



TOM TERRILL



BOB THOMAS



RONNY THOMPSON



SALLY THOMPSON



CAROL TIMMONS



Mr. Nichols, Janey Price, and Mary McGee are anticipating great sales for this year's Orbit.



Getting ready for the Classen, Shawnee pep assembly are Comes Janet Palmer, Susan Diwocky, Lillian Morgan, and Suzanne Lebenson. Charming basketball players, agreed?

SENIORS



WATCH YOUR CHILDREN



ANN TOWNLEY



ROYCE TRAMMEL



MARRIETTA TUNNELL



LUCRETIA TURNER



ELINOR UNRUH



BEVERLY VADEN



JERRY VanNORT



ROSEMARY VAUGHAN



GRETCHEN VEDDER



JAN VEECH



JOHNNIE VESTAL



MAYTHA WAGNER



SAM WALDIE



DOROTHY WALKER



NAN WATKINS



EARLENE WELLS



BRYN WHATLEY



ARTHETTA WHITE



HAL WHITTEN



LA UNA WHITTER



MARY HELEN WICKHAM



ELIZABETH WIGGINS



DIANE WILKINS



CARVER WILLIAMS



KEN WILLIAMS



DON WILSON



BRYCE WOLFE



MARY LOU WOLFE



DICK WORRELL



CAROLYN WRIGHT



CAROLYN WRIGHT



DELORES WYATT



MARIE YEAGER



JIMMIE YOES



HOWDY YOUNG



CARL ZELLNER



JIM BIGGERS



J. T. DUNN



DOUG MATTHEWS



JERRY FREEFIELD



BARBARA KENYON



ANNA LEE STEWART

*Best of luck to
a dashing girl with
a sparkling personality.
Love
Marie*

JUNIOR CLASS OFFICERS



Rene Crothers
President



Carol Saulsberry
Vice President



David Flemming
Secretary



Joe Jones
Treasurer



Jim Groseclose
Sergeant at Arms



Miss Bernice Gordon
Sponsor

The tight rope walker is not the star of the circus, but has a very important role. Accordingly, the juniors are important in our school life, although they have not attained the heights of the seniors.

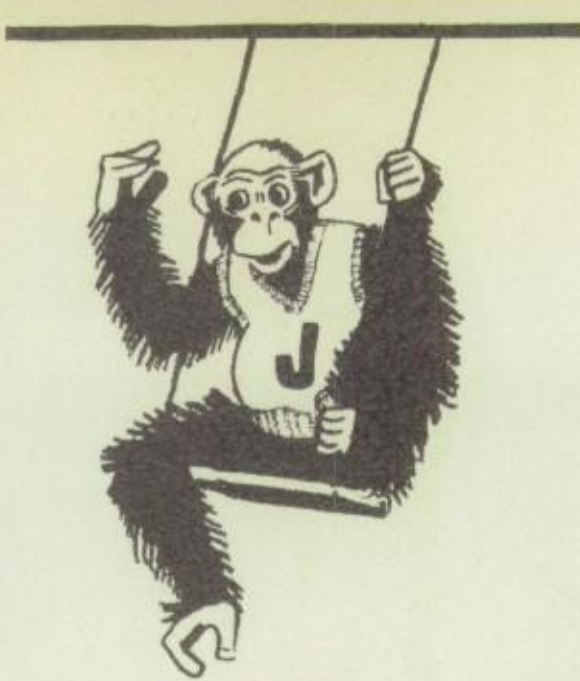
But next year Classen's juniors will move into the spotlight and many important decisions will rest upon their opinions. These juniors are the future leaders of our school and we feel that they have the responsibility to take over the many tasks that await them, when next year, their turn comes to step into the center ring.



BERKELEY ADAMS



EVALYN ADAMS



JUNIORS



CLIFFORD ADKINS



JUDY AINSWORTH



RICHARD AINSWORTH



BOB ALBRECHT



JAN ALLEN



PHIL ANDERSON



JEANNINE ANSILL



JOYCE APPLETON



PATTE JEAN ARNOLD



ISLO ASHMORE



JANETTE ATKINSON



LAVITA AUER



JACK BACHE



JOHNNY BAKER



KEITH BALLARD



MARY BARBER



JIM BARNETT



DON BASS



GERALDINE BAXTER



ELLEN BENDORF



ANN BENNETT



WARREN BENNETT



JIM BELCHER



BRUCE BELL



JOHN BELT



J. D. BENEDICT



DONALD BENNETT



NANCY BENNETT



CHARLES BERRY



ROBERT BETHEL



DON BIRDWELL



DARRELL BITTLE



No Powers Model ever possessed the beauty and charm of our Football Queen Carol Gallamore who really is a "Queen."



BILL BLACKWELL



CHARLES BLACKWOOD



JACK BLEDSOE



PAUL BLEDSOE



JOE BOHANNON



CHARLEEN BOLLINGER



LORALYN BOMAR



PAT BONHAM



BILL BOWIE



ANN BOWLIN



MERRILYN BOWLING



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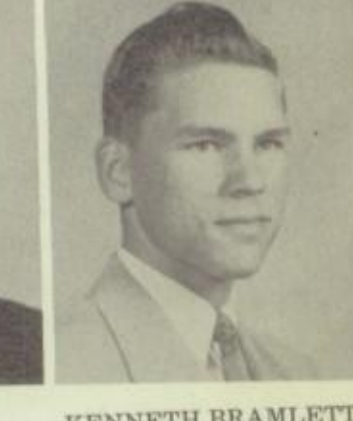
FRANK BRADBURN



KAYE BRADEN



LARRY BRAINARD



KENNETH BRAMLETT



SAM BRANCH



ROGER BRAWLEY



JOHNA BRECKENRIDGE



BARBARA BRESSIE



PAUL BICKFORD



COY LEE BRITE



NANCY BROOKS



CAROL BROWN



DOLORES BROWN



SALLY BROWN



HENRY BROWNE



JEANNINE BROWNING



JERRY BUGG



JOHN BULLARD



JUNIORS



BARBARA BURBRIDGE



JOHN BUNNELL



DANNY BURNELL



JO ANNE BURNEY



CAROLYN BURTON



LARRY BUSCH



PAUL BYNAM



CAROL BUTLER



JANICE BUTLER



JACK BYRUM



LILLIE CALVERT



VICKI CAMPBELL



GEORGE CANNON



O. A. CARGILL



FRAN CARL



JIM CARR



CECIL CARSON



DeWAYNE CARTER



JANICE CAULKINS



JERRY CHAPMAN



CAROLYN CHATBURN



MARY LOU CHEATHAM



TOMMY CHEATWOOD



SIDNEY CHUPACK



KERMIT CLARK



STEWART CLARK



BILLY CLAUNCH



ELINOR CLINE



CYNTHIA CLOW



PAULA COFFEY



BILL CONNER



PAT CONNER



Barbara Burbridge, Henrie Bea Risen, Shirley Dodson, and Lillian Morgan always rush to class like this everyday.



BARBARA COOK



JEANNETTE COOK



KENNETH COOK



ANSOLEAH COOLEY



JUDY COONIZ



MARGERY COOPER



DORIS COPELAND



EARNIE CORNELIUS



MARY KAY CORNETT



WANDA COUNTRYMAN



GARY COX



JIMMY COX



CATHERINE CRAIN



DORTHY CRAVENS



JIM CREASEY



EDDIE CREECH



CAROLYN SUE CROSS



RENE CROTHERS



ALISON CULBERT



ELAINE CUPP



RODNEY CUTLER



KEN DACUS



BEVERLY DAVIDSON



BARBARA DAVIS



BETTYANNE DAVIS



CAROLYN DAVIS



NAN DAVIS



SANDRA DAVIS



JERRIE WYNNELL DECKER



PATSY DENHAM



JUNIORS



JUNE DENNEHY



CAROL LEE DENNIS



JIMMY DIGGS



ELIZABETH DILL



SUSAN DIWOHY



SHIRLEY ANN DODSON



JACK DONELSON



BEVERLY DONNELL



CLYDE DORR



JOHN DOUGHTY



DON DOUGLAS



BOB DUFFNER



PATTY DUNHAM



LINDA DUNN



GWEN DURKEE



JIMMY DURRETT



JANIE DYCHE



FAITH EADS



JUDY EARLEY



PHIL EASLON



BILL ELDER



JEAN ELLEDGE



CHARLES ELLET



DON ELLISON



SUE ESHELMEN



GORDON ESTES



SHIRLEY ESTES



PAT EVANS



ANNE FALLASCHEK



CARLSON FARLEY



JANIE FELLINGHAM



BOBBIE FERGUSON



Bob Kruger, Marian Brown, and Suzanne Stanley are entranced by the Orbit Queen Coronation. Kelvyn Cullimore, as usual, is clowning.



LARRY FERREE



JERRY FINE



DAVID FITZGERALD



JIM FLANAGAN



ALAN FLEISCHER



DAVID FLEMMING



CAROLYN FOWLER



ELLEN FOWLER



GEORGE FOWLER



ANN FRALEY



DICK FRANCES



BARBARA FRANK



JOE FRANK



SALLY FREEL



SAM FRYER



MONTY FURROGG



JOHN GAINES



MYRALIN GALLASPY



ROBERT GARDNER



JOE GARRETT



HARVEY GASPAR



JEAN GAYNOR



DONNA GEORGE



ELAINE GEORGE



BOBBY LEE GIBBONS



JERRY GILMORE



CAROLYN GIMPEL



JOHN GLOMSET



JOAN GORDON



NEIL GORRELL



JUNIORS



LA RUE GRAHAM



BEVERLY GRAY



BOBBIE GREENHAW



TED GRIFFY



JERRIE GRIMSLEY



MARTHA GRINDSTAFF



JAMES GROSECLOSE



RONNIE GOADE



PATSY HAGGARD



LILA HALL



REGGIE HALL



JOAN HAMILTON



LARRY HAMMETT



TOMMY LU HANECK



JOHN HANKS



KENT HANSON



BINNIE HARRIS



JON HARRIS



KEITH HARRIS



JOYCE HARRISON



JUDY HARRISON



LENEL HART



JOYCE HARWOOD



PATSY HAWS



RUSSELL HAYES



GERALD HAYWOOD



BARBARA HENDRICK



ARLINE HENDRICKS



MAX HIBSHMAN



DARDIS HIGBIE



PAT HIGDON



JOYCE HILL



Mr. Nichols is explaining to Hyla Hyde and Nan Watkins why the caption which you are reading now is no good. Or it could be that 1 out of 3 find it funny.



MARY GWYNNE HILL



RONALD HILL



BARBARA HINES



JUDY HITT



MARY LOUISE HOBBS



JERRY HOKE



JON HOLDER



MARGARET HOLLOWAY



SUSAN HOOVER



JACQUE HOPKINS



RAE E. HOSTETTER



HAMMET HOUGH



BOB HOUSE



BO HOUSH



LUCINDA HOWE



BOB HOWELL



JEANNE HOWLAND



WESLEY L. HOYLE



SHARON HOYT



MARY HUCKINS



SHERRILL HUDMAN



CHARLES HUDSON



CLOMA HUDSON



SUE HUDSON



VERNON HUEY



JIMMY HUFF



MARSHA HUFFMAN



DEE HUSTLEBY



JOHN HUTCHISON



JAMES HUTCHINSON



JUNIORS



HYLA HYDE



NANCY INGE



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SUSAN IRWIN



LA VONNE JAMES



STEVE JANGER



RUTH JORGENSON



BETTY JEZEK



CHARLES JOBE



RAMAH JOHNS



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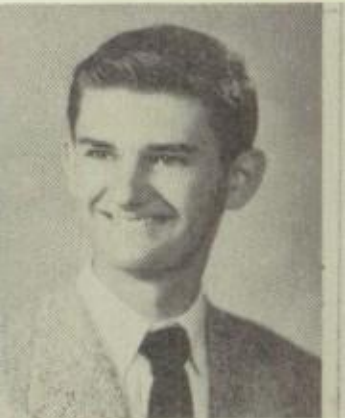
DONNA JONES



EDWARD JONES



PATSY JONES



RICHARD JONES



FRANCES JORDAN



SALLY KANE



SUZY KARNES



BETTY KEETCH



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JERRY KELLEY



BEVERLY KENT



AILEEN KEY



CHARLES KING



GEORGE KING



JOYCE KIRCHNER



ROGER KLEEN



VIRGINIA LAFFERTY



LARRY LAMARR



Ralph Snyder, junior, took this informal shot of President Eisenhower when his plane landed at Municipal Airport.



SANDRA LANDIS



PATRICIA GAIL LANTZ



PEGGY LARSON



DONNA LAWRENCE



SUZANNE LIBENSON



JUDY LE BLANC



JAMES LEE



PHIL LEE



HENRY LEMONS



GLORIA LEHAT



MARY FRANCES LEWIS



GUY LIEBMANN



RICHARD LINDSEY



MARIE LITTLE



MARION LONG



JOE LOONEY



MARGARET LOSEY



ROGER LOUIS



KATHANEL LUSE



CAROLYN LYDICK



ANN LYNN



FRED LYON



GERALD LYON



LA VON McAFEE



RONALD McAFEE



MARY LOU McCALISTER



CYNTHIA McCOMAS



ROBERT McCOY



MARTHA McCULLOCH



PAUL McDANIEL



JUNIORS



GAYLE McDONALD



MARGARET McDONALD



MARY JANE McDOWELL



BETTY McFADDEN



PATSY McGRATH



NANCY McKEE



FRANK McLAUGHLIN



NANCY McLEMORE



MURIEL McMILLAN



DON McNEILL



CLARK McPHAIL



MICKEY McVAY



JERRY McWILLIAMS



ROY MAGERS



ALBERT MAIDT



KENT MALONE



MARSHA MAREK



JO CAROL MARTYN



BETTYE MAXWELL



RICHARD MEDLEY



JAMES MERZ



BILL MILLER



DON MILLER



GAY MILLER



DALE MILLIGAN



FRITZ MOCK



MARIELLA MOONEY



LANORA MORGAN



LILLIAN MORGAN



CAROL MORRIS



NANCY MORTON



JOE MOSELY



You can't find two sweeter smiles than those of Carol Saulsberry and Nancy Strickler, juniors.



DAN MUGG



CAROLYN MULLENIX



ALBERT MULLIKIN



PATRICIA MULVEY



BARBARA MURRAY



BOB MURRAY



SUSAN MYREN



CRISTINA NAGEL



JOHN NANCE



PHIL NANCE



NANCY NEEL



TINKER NEFF



ALLEN NEIL



BOB NELSON



FRANK NELSON



MARY ANN NELSON



KAY NEUFFER



HOWARD NICHOLAS



NOBES NICHOEEL



LARRY NICHOLS



MILTON NICHOLS



JOHN NICHELL



MERRYJEAN NIEMAN



CHARLOTTE NORTON



KAREN NOVEY



JOHN O'CONNOR



BARBARA ODEN



JERRY ODEN



VIRGINIA ODLE



KAREN OLDFIELD



JUNIORS



MARY K. OWEN



WM. R. OWEN



JANET PALMER



NANCY PALMER



MARILEE PARRISH



MARY LOU PATTERSON



RAY PAYNE



DON PAYNE



DOLLY PEEK



GEORGE PENDELL



CHARLES PERKINS



BECKY PETERSON



JOISE PICKLE



LOISE PICKLE



BILL PINKERTON



JERRY POORE



JACQUE POINDEXTER



PAT PRICHARD



ALICE PRICE



BERT PAINE



ROSIE PRINCE



CAROL PUCKETT



DIANNE PUCKETT



JAN PYLE



JUDY QUIETT



CAROLYN QUICK



JERRY RADER



NINA RAGAN



CAROLYN RAGLAND



SUE RAGLAND



MALACHA RAILY



DICK RANDAL



It isn't Christmas, it's only Harold Messenger, Cecil Carson, and Herbie Roberts hanging decorations for the first Student Council mixer of the year.



DAVID RAYBURN



ROBERTA REDDICK



RICHARD REDMOND



CHARLES REECE



RICKI REED



MARLENE REGER



DON REMINGTON



INEZ RENEGAR



BARBARA REYNOLDS



SYLVIA REYNOLDS



JIMMY RICE



MILDRED RICE



DAN RIDDELL



HENRIE BEA RISEN



DEAN ROACH



GAYLA SUE ROBERTS



KAY ELLEN ROBERTSON



VEE ROGERS



JOHN ROPER



JOHN ROSE



PHILIP RUDOLPH



GLORIA SADLER



JACK SAILER



NADIA SAMARA



MAXINE SANDERS



DICK SANFORD



BEVERLY SANDLIN



MIKE SARGENT



JIM SATTERFIELD



CAROL SAULSBERRY



JUNIORS



ROBERT SCALES



MARILYN SCHARLACH



CHARLENE SCHEM



FRED SCHMEUSSER



ELAINE SCHUSTER



NATALIE SCHWARTZ



PAUL SCHWARTZ



JERRY SCOTT



LARRY SCRUGGS



PATRICIA SCULLION



CLYDENE SEXTON



SARA SHAFFER



CAROLE SUE SHARP



SUDIE SHARPE



CAROLYN SHELLEY



MARY SHEPHERD



ROSE SHEPHERD



DON SHINN



SYLVIA SHINN



DICK SHIRLEY



JANYCE SHORBE



TONY SIDWELL



WENONA SIKES



CAROL SILVERNAIL



DONALD SIMS



MARY JANE SINGLETON



BOB SMITH



INA SMITH



JOYCE SMITH



JUDY SMITH



KEITH SMITH



RONNIE SMITH



Ronald McAfee looks on, apparently unconcerned by the antics of "Men from Mars", J. D. Casey and Mr. Hale.



TED SMITH



VIRGINIA SNELL



KAY DONNA SNIPES



RALPH SNYDER



TOM SPEAR



CAROLYN SPECK



BARNEY SPENCER



VIRDEN SPURLOCK



JOE SCRAGE



KATY STALLINGS



JOHNNY STANTON



BILLY STAPLES



JOE STEWART



KAY STOLL



CARL STONE



ROBERT STONG



SYLVIA STOUTZ



JOAN STOVALL



HELEN STRAUCH



ALAN STRAUGHN



KAGAY STRICKLAND



NANCY STRICKLER



MARTHA STUART



WESLEY STUART



GEORGE SUSENS



BOB TAYLOR



JOHNNY TAYLOR



LONNIE TAYLOR



KAY TAYLOR



JACK TECH



JUNIORS



BEVERLY THOMAS



BRAD THOMPSON



MARY ANN THOMPSON



PHYLLIS THOMPSON



CAROLYN THORNTON



ROBERT THRASHER



LOIS TONINI



SUZIE TROUT



RONNY THROWER



TEDDY TOMES



BOB TRACY



MIKE TURNER



JIM UNDERWOOD



JAMES UTLEY



ANN VAUGHN



PHYLLIS WARREN



EDWARD WAGNER



WANDA WALLACE



HAROLD WALTERS



ROY WARING



GLADYS WATERS



BOB WEBBER



DALE WEHBA



MARGARET WHALEN



MIKE WHALEN



LOLA MARIE WHETSTONE



FREDA WHITE



ANN WHITTEN



JAYNA WHITTEN



JOHN WILCOX



JO WILLARD



ALICE WILLIAMS



CAROLYN WILLIAMS



DEANE WILLIAMS



DEBORAH WILLIAMS



MARTHA WILLIAMS



NANCY WILLIAMS



NORMA WILLIAMS



JIM WILLIFORD



NANCY WILLIFORD



CARROL WILSON



DAVID WILSON



PAUL WILSON



SUZANNE WILSON



TOMMY WISHART



BOB WISLER



J. R. WOLF



NANCY WOODS



JULIE WOTKINS



EARNEST WOTRING



BILL WRIGHT



JIMMY WRIGHT



MARILYN WRIGHT



PATRICIA WRIGHT



PHYLLIS WRIGHT



RICHARD WRIGHT



CYNTHIA YEATS



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RUSSELL BASS



BEE BERGSTRAND



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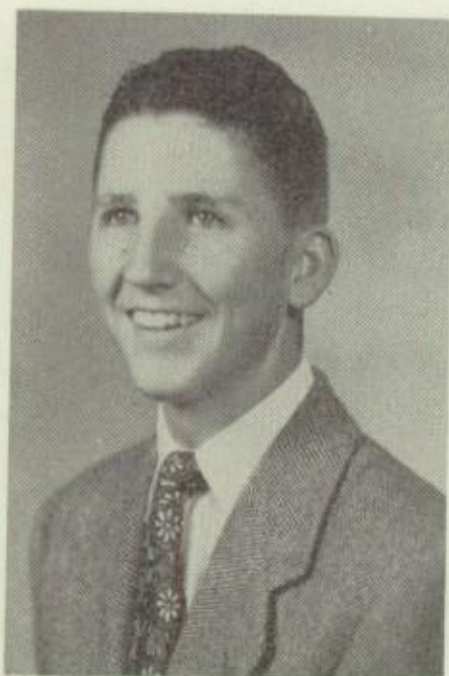


MARILYN DAVIS

SOPHOMORE CLASS OFFICERS



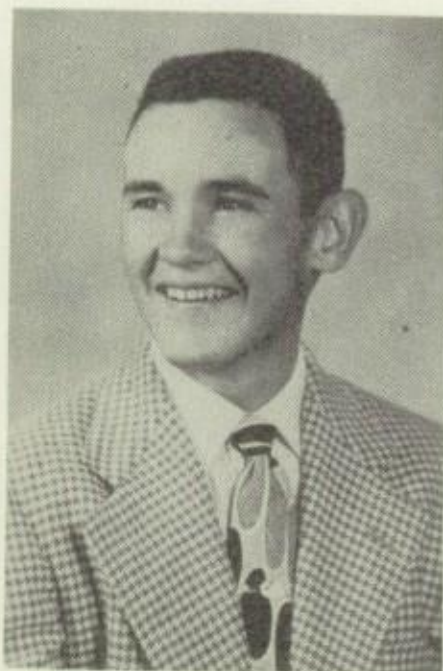
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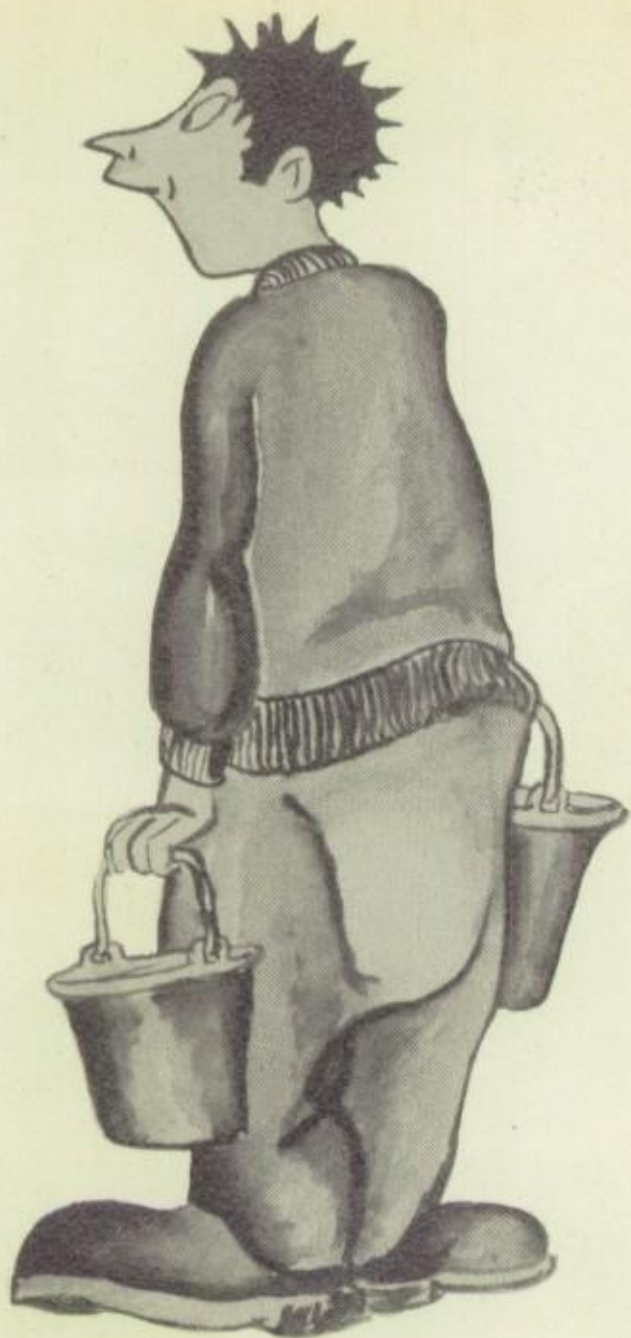
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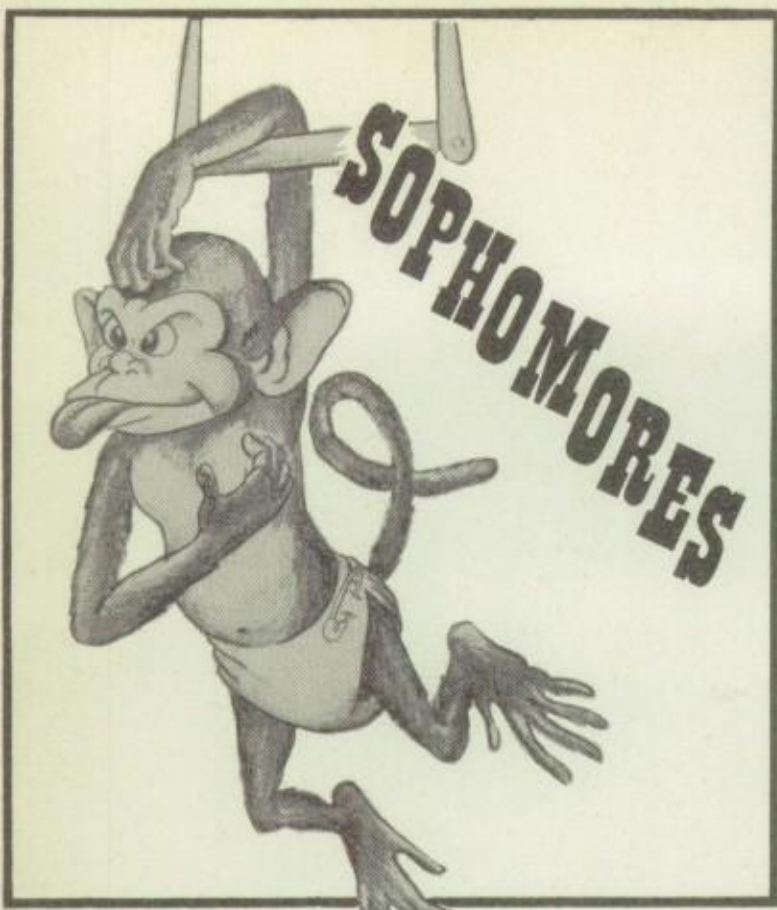


Miss Retha Wave Hulet
Sponsor

We symbolize the sophomores at Classen by the water boy, who has a lowly, but important job with the circus. The water boy represents the beginning job at the circus, just as the sophomores are beginning their job at Classen.

In the next two years the sophomores will advance, just as the water boy advances, and eventually will become the leaders of the school.

During their first year the sophomores have made a fine record at Classen. They have participated actively in school organizations. They have proven what a great role they play in our show and have shown that they are fully capable of taking the jobs that await them as juniors and seniors.



DON ABBOT



GEORGE ADAIR



ARDETH AINSWORTH



BARBARA JANE AKERS



CAROL JUNE AKER



DANNY AKIN



BILL ALEXANDER



EDWARD ALEXANDER



DIXIE ALLISON



BARBARA A. ALSHAU



FRANK APPELQUIST



JAMES ARMSTRONG



MARY ARMSTRONG



MARILYN ASHLOCK



GAYLE ATWOOD



KARAN AUTRY



CAROL BAILEY



BILL BAKER



BOB BAKER



MARILYN BALDWIN



BETTY ANN BARBER



SHIRLEY BARKER



SHERRY BARNES



JANE BARROW



SUE BARTON



ALBERT BASEY



BRUCE BATCHELOR



JANET BECKER



BOB BEEN



CAROLYN BELISLE



JACK B. BELL



BEVERLY BELSKY



CHARLOTTE BELSKY



CHARLENE BENSON



BURNESS BERKEY



HARRIET BERNAT



MAX BERRY



SALLY BERRY



JUDY BEVERLY



CONNIE BINNS



BARBARA BLACK



CLAUDIA BLAKE



DICK BLAKELEY



EILEEN BODENHEIMER



BEVERLY BONHAM



BERNIE C. BOYLE



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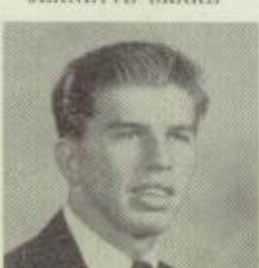
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WAYLAND BROWN



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ALICE BURTON



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HIRLEY ANN CHAMPEAN GLENDA CHAPELLE CLAUDIA CHAPMAN CLAUDE CHAPPELEAR BARBARA CHEATHAM GABRIEL CHODOS LOIS M. CHRISTOPHER DON CIES

BOBBY CLAPP BENTON CLARK LARRY CLARK ROBERT CLARK MARY BETH CLASBY MARINELL CLAYTON PAT CLEMENTS CLAIRENELL CLEMONS

JINX CLINGER VONDA LEE COHEN BARBARA COIL JEAN COLLINS MARY COLLINS JACK COLVIN PAT CONINE JIM CONLEY

PHILLIP CONLEY SHARON CONNOLLY JANICE COOK PAT COOK WILLIAM COOPER CHARLES CORKEN ROBERT CORNFORTH TEEG COSTON

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NANCY CULLINS EMMA LEAH DALBEY DENISE DANIEL KENNETH DANIELS

CONNIE DAVIDSON MARILEE DAVIDSON CAROLYN DAVIS MARY LOUISE DAVIS

DAVID DEAR PAT DE CARLO DINA LYNN DEUPREE JIMMIE DITTO ELIZABETH DOBBS RONNIE DONALDSON PHYLLIS DOOLEY MARILYN DORFF



Jimmy White, sophomore class president, consults the Meteor bulletin box for his latest pledge duties.



ROD DORR



KELSEY DOUGHTY



PHYLLIS DOUGLAS



DICK DOWLING



BILL DRAPER



TEDDY DRUCE



JOAN DROZANSKY



PEGGY EASTMAN



WAYNE EATON



NAOMI EDWARDS



ROBERT EDWARDS



JAN ELDER



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DONNA EVANS



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MIKE FAGAN



JOANNE FARLEY



CHARLES FARMER



MARY FRANCES FENTON



JIM FERGUSON



PATSY FERGUSON



TERRY FINLEY



DAVID FISHER



KENT FLEMING



LINDA FLEMING



JAMES FORD



BRUNEL FARIS



RONNIE FOST



VIRGINIA FOSTER



JOYCE FOSTER



MELVIN FOX



JOHN D. FRANSEN



LINDA FRENCH



MANUS GALLAGHER



PAUL GARDNER



PATTY GARDNER



MARIANA GARRETT



ROBERT GARRETT



SARA GARVIN



JOANNE GASPAR



CAROL GATELEY



CAROL GESFORD



BARBARA GIBSON



BRYAN GILLESPIE



KATHRYN GLASGOW



GEORGIA LEE GLENN



MARGARET ANN GOBER



GORDON GRAALMAN



MARGARET GRAHAM



MARY ANN GRANTHAM



GAR GRAVILLE



DELORES ANN GREEN



CLINTON GREENHAW



TOM GRIFFY



HARRY GRISHAM



CHARLENE GUTHRIE



LINORE GULVERSTON



CHERRY HADLOCK



KENNETH HALL



TOMMY HALL



PHYLLIS HAMILTON



VAN AUSTIN HAND



TONY HARGIS



CAROLYN HARKINS



BILL HARLAN



RICHARD HARMON



JOE DEAN HARRIS



JUDY HARROW



RONALD HART



ELLOUI HARWOOD



BARBARA HASHAGAN



ANDY HASWELL



JIM HATHAWAY



DON HAYES



JARED HAZLETON



JOAN HEALEY



JEROME HENRY



JEAN HENDERSON



ANN HENGST



ROSEMARY HENRY



TOMMY HIBSHMAN



LEAH KAY HIGBIE



ELIZ. HIGGENBOTHAM



JUDY HIGHTOWER



LEIGH B. HILL



JIM HIPPEN



ELIZABETH HODGES



ROY HODSON



EYRLINE HOLCOMB



NANCY HOLLAND



BARBARA HOLLIS



JIM HOLLOWAY



PATSY HOLT



GAYLE HONEA



NANCY HOPPING



MARTHA HORN



NEAL HORTON



JANE HOSIER



NAN HOSMER



SHERI HUDSON



CONNIE RAE HUFF



JOYCE HUMBLE



CAROLYN HUNT



CHARLES HUNT



OLEN HURST



PATTY HUSBAND



SUE HUSTON



LENORA INGE



BARBARA INGRAM



RONALD JACOBSON



JANICE JAGGARS



JOHN JANOVY



GENE JENKINS



JERRY JENSEN



PARKER JOHNSON



JOAN JONAS



Margaret Losey explains one of her bright ideas to Paul Schwartz and Mrs. Marshall at a Future Voters of America meeting.



CONNIE JONES



CORALEE JONES



DAVID JONES



MYRALENE ANNE JONES



SIDNEY JONES



NORMA LEE KETCH



ELLA KENYON



MOHONNA KENNEDY



MORRISALENE KESSLER



WILMA KIRK



LINDA KENNAN



JERRY KERR



JANE KROEGER



TOM LANDGRAF



MARILYN LAGNEAU



JANE LANE



MAHALA LARASON



ALICE LAY



BOBBY LEAF



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GLORIA LOMAN



PHIL LONDON



DONALD LORD



JIM LOTT



HENRY LOVE



JACK LOVELL



JIM LOWE



DONNA LOWERY



SUE LUCY



GERALD LUTON



LARRY LYON



DARLA McAULIFF



JOY ANN McBRIDE



LARRY McBRIER



DONNA SUE McCANN



MAC K McClain



JEANNE McCLELLAND



SALLY McCLELLAND



JANE McCLOUD



JAKE McCLURE



SANDRA McCOMMAS



JUDY McCRAY



SARAH McCUISTON



ANITA McCULLOUGH



SHIRLEY JEAN McDANIEL



JIMMIE McDONALD



BYRON McFALL



JO BEVERLY MCGEE



HELEN McKANNA



JOHN McKINNEY



GEORGIA McKINNIS



JERRY McLENNAN



MARY ANN McCARTY



PATRICIA MachUE



BEVERLY MALONE



TOM MANAHAN



BEVERLY MANKIN



KAREN MANNING



DARLENE MAPES



BETTY MARKE



ANNETTE MARSH



JERRIE MARSH



CAROL MARSHALL



BOB MARTIN



GAYLE MARTIN



JOHN MARTINDALE



JANET MARVEI



MARCIA MARVEL



JERRY MASH



NANCY LEE MASON



PAT MASON



LELAND MASSAD



SHARON MASSAD



MARY ANN MATHIAS



BERNICE MATHIAS



TOMMY MATSON



BARRARA SUE MATTERN



KENLYNNE MAXWELL



JANICE MAY



JIMMY MAYFIELD



ROD MAYS



PAUL MEADE



BETTY JO MEADOWS



JUDY MELLS



LINDA MELTON



BARBARA MESSENBAUGH



DOROTHY MEYERS



JUDY MIDEKE



MAX MILEY



BEN MILLER



CLIFFORD MILNER



MARY ELLEN MILLER



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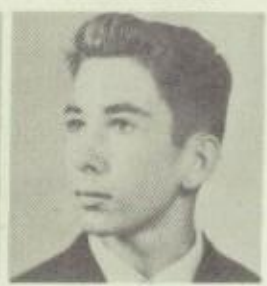
BETTY MOORE



JIMMY MOORE



SHIRLEY MOORE



JIM MORGAN



JOE DEE MORGAN



SARA MORGAN



JERRY MORRIS



MARY GLENDA MORRIS



PAULINE MORRISON



LOUIS MOSELEY



DIANE MOSS



MARY MOUNT



Lucky Dieter! Tom Terrill helps Dieter slip into the jacket just presented to him by the Bluejackets as their new honorary member.



SUE MURRAH



JOHN MURRELL



VADA MUSTION



EDITH NANCE



SUSAN NEELEY



DICK NEFF



EDDIE NELSON



MURLEEN NELSON



GIB NEVILLE



BARBARA NICHOLS



GLEND A NUNN



CHRIS OAK



JERRY ODOM



MICHEAL O'KEEFE



CHARLES O'LEARY



DAVE OOTEN



GLORIA OTEY



GROVER OZMUN



MARSHA PACE



ALLEN PAINE



BILL PARNELL



CHARLENE PATTERSON



DRUCILLA PEMBERTON



SANDRA PENNINGTON



VEL PETTY



CAROLYN PHILLIPS



LLOYDS MARIE PHILLIPS



WYNDA LOU PHILLIPS



DUMONT PICKARD



LARRY PLEMMONS



DOROTHY PLUMER



JANE POTTS



JOHN POWELL



EILEEN PRAG



CARL PRATT



ELIZABETH PRINCE



LARRY PRINCE



NORMA PRITCHARD



MARTHA PULLEY



LEAH PUMMILL



MIKE RAFFERTY



FRANCES ANN RASH



BETTY JANE REED



ANNE RENSHAW



ALLIE REYNOLDS



HAVEN REYNOLDS



MARILYN RICHARDSON



TOMMY RICHARDSON



SALLY RILEY



SHERRY RENKER



DON ROACH



GARY ROBBINS



CONNIE ROBerson



CAROLYN ROBERTS



JACK ROBERTS



JERRY ROBERTS



JIM ROBERTSON



JERRY ROBINSON



VANETTE ROBINSON



MARY ANN RORING



DICK ROSENSTAHL



NADINE ROSS



GRETA SUE ROWE



CAROL RUHMAN MELVA RUTLEDGE RONNIE RUSH TOMMY RUSH CAROLYN RYAN MARY ANN SABO MONA SANDERS JAN SAXON



FREDA SCREWS EDDIE SEGRAVES JANICE SEIGSON JANE SEWELL CHERINE SHADID LINDA SHADID DONAL SHARP LINWOOD SHARP



LINDA SHELTON CAROL SHIPMAN ROBERT SHREWDER HELDA SIMMERING KAY SIMMONS PHOEBE SLATE DI ANN SMITH DON SMITH



DWAYNE SMITH EDDITH SMITH EILEEN SMITH ELAINE SMITH NANCY SMITH PATSY SMITH SANDRA SMITH TERRY LEE SMITH



TRUE SMITH JOHN SOUTER GEORGE SPARKS NILS SPENCER EDWIN STAHL WANDA STANFILL TOMMY STEARNS ANN STEPHENS



ROBERT SHOKES MARILYN STONG *Patty* PATTY KAY STOUT MARSHA STRAIN FRANCES STROUCH CAROLYN STREETMAN KEITH STRONG DUANNE STUBBS



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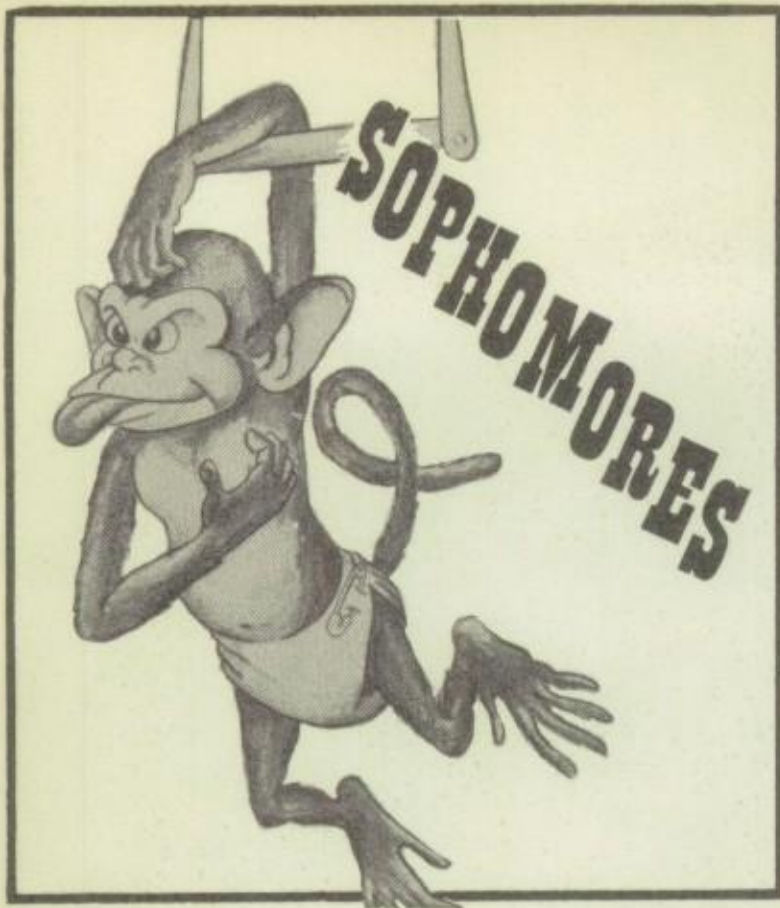
JOHN TUNNELL LANNY TROTTER JACK TRENT CHARLES TOWE



HAROLD TICE LARRY THROWER MARTHA THORNTON WENDELL THROWER



Patsy Meyer, Barbara Murray, Janie Price, and Paula Belzung look on as Miss Campbell explains some pointers in sewing.



CLAY THOMPSON



EUGENE THOMPSON



JACKIE THOMPSON



DAN TALLEY



TERRY TATTAN



JOYCE TAYLOR



MARTIN TEBRINKE



VANESSA THAKER



RUTH THEIMAN



JOHNNY THOMPSON



CAROLYN THOMPSON



JOYCE THOMPSON



MARIAN UPCHURCH



MARILYN URBAN



CARL VAN HOOSER



GRETCHEN VAN MATRE



JOANNE VEALE



SHARYN WALCOTT



PEGGY WALKER



DOROTHY WALLACE



CHARLES WARNER



HERMAN WATERS



VIRGINIA WATSON



JOHN WATT



JACQUELINE WEBBA



JULIE WEISS



NORMA WEMPLE



LUCY BO WHEELER



RITA WHITAKER



JAMES WHITE



JIMMY WHITE



SARAMAY WILEY



YEVONNE WILKERSON



LOU ANN WILKINS



ANNA LEE WILLIAMS



JAMES WILLIAMS



VERNON WILLIAMS



BILL WILSON



CHARLENE WILSON



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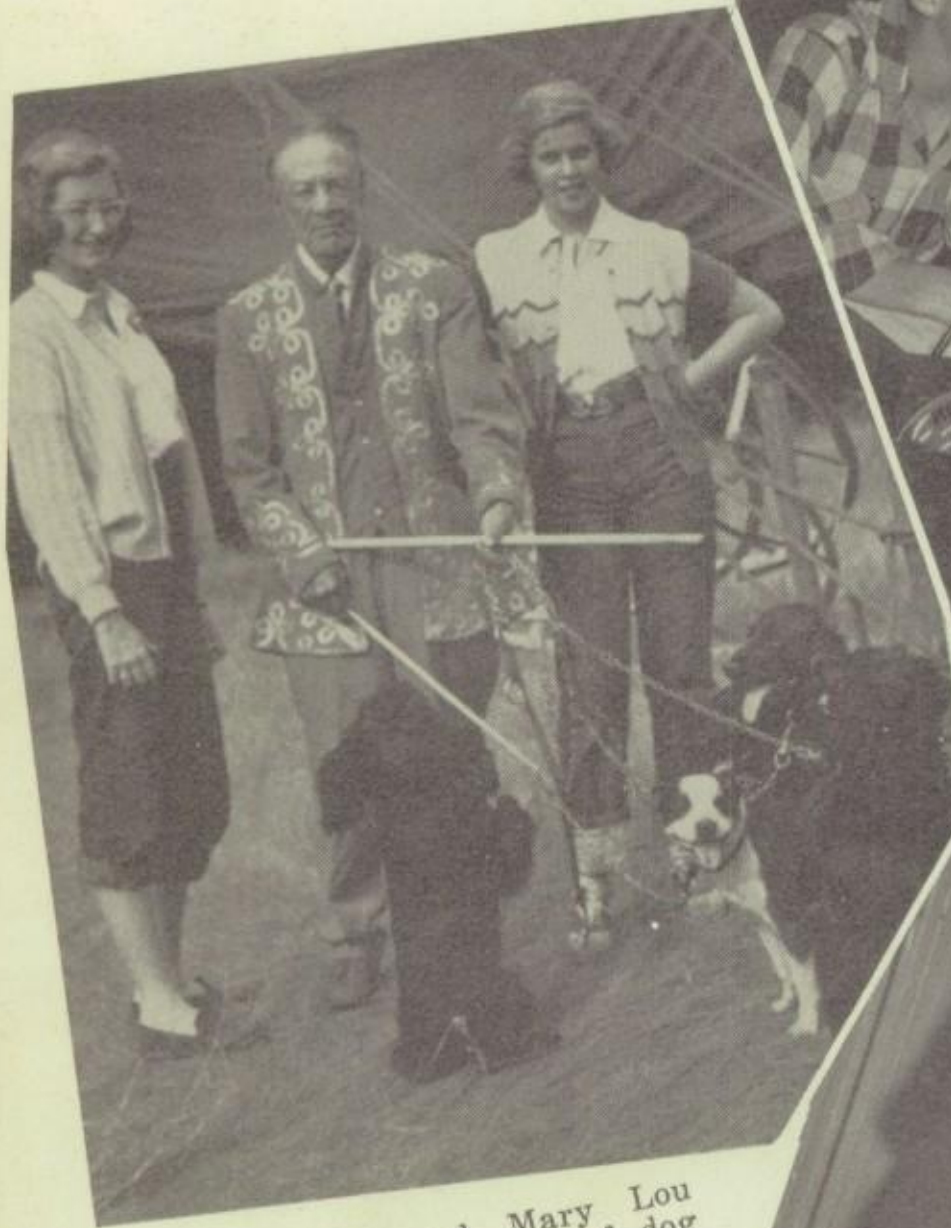
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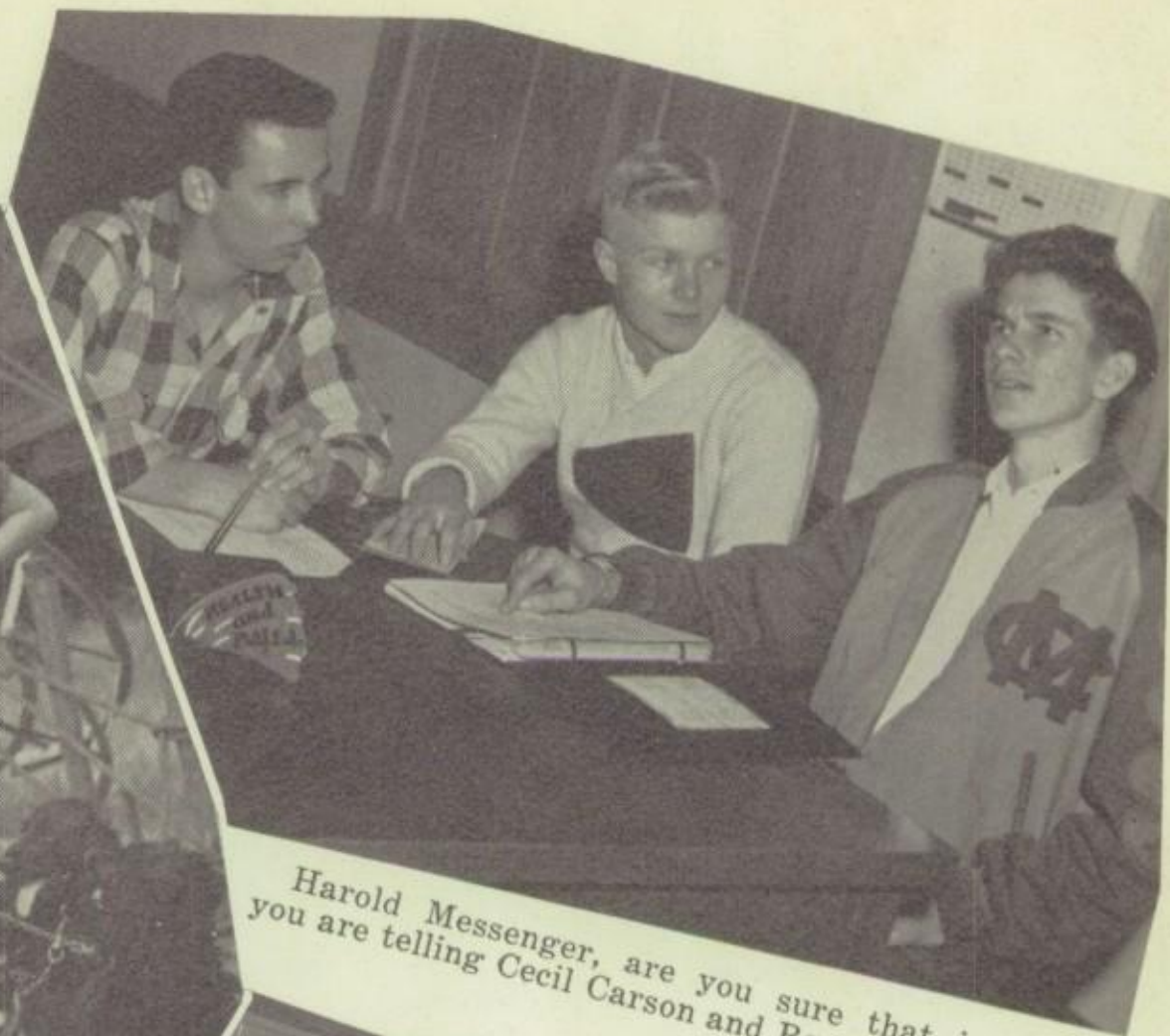
MARTIN YOUNG



DON ZACHRITZ



Phyllis Hazel and Mary Lou Wolfe learn the fine art of dog training at the Ringling Brothers Circus.



Harold Messenger, are you sure that is safety you are telling Cecil Carson and Roger Louis about?



Pat Flemming, Donna Powell, and Terry Tatten are going to be late for class if they don't hurry.



Time off for everyone's favorite hour, lunch hour.

SIDE SHOW



STRONG
MAN

GARGANTUA

AHHH AS.

INDIAN RUBBER
MAN

THE FAT LADY
SHE'S FLAT FAT

THE
MERMAID

THE THREE MIDGETS

JO-JO
THE BOY
FACED
DOG

DIG THIS
JERK!

CLYDJA

RO-BE-
SODA POP

WHEEE

10c

By BRUCE
COCHRAN

AND

By Kipp
SCHUESSL

Dear Opal -
 I have enjoyed
 knowing you and
 I hope you have a
 successful life.
 Wishes & Best
 I has been a pleasure being
 with you for years.
 It has been such a
 delight to know you these
 two years. I can truly say
 that you are just about the
 sweetest girl I know. Here's
 hoping our paths cross
 again sometime.
 Best of luck always,
 Pat Evans

Dear Opal -
 I'm glad to hear you
 are in college. I wish you
 all the luck in the world.
 I know you'll succeed
 in whatever you do.
 Love,
 Ruth

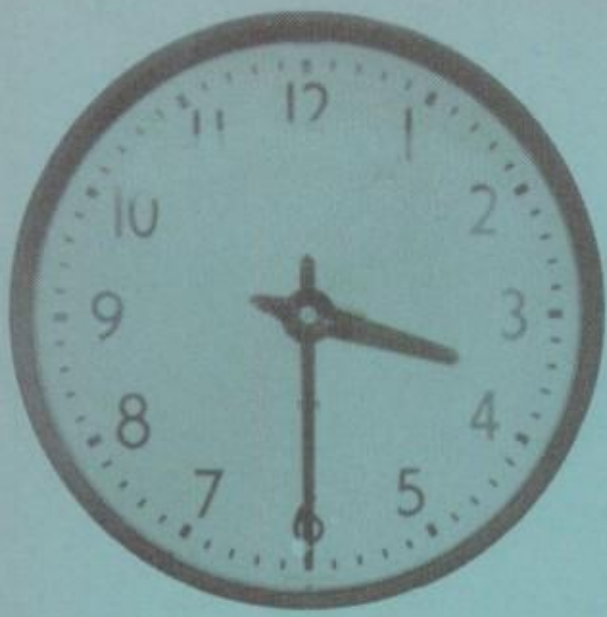
Dear Opal -
 Graduating with
 you makes graduation
 mean more. Our
 friendship means more
 to me than I can
 ever say. I'm glad
 we're rooming to-
 gether. Let's stay
 together thru college,
 too. You're a wonderful
 girl, so sweet, un-
 selfish and talented.
 Keep up your music,
 you'll never regret
 it. Good luck and
 I hope that it's
 together.

Love,
 Lou Ann
 B.O.S. '53

Dear Opal -
 It certainly has
 been a pleasure being
 in class with you. I
 will follow you in
 your college days in
 Mahanah Lainsan
 Dear Opal -
 I can't believe
 that we are seniors? Remember
 as pledges in happy heart?
 Opal - you're a darling
 wonderful with your
 personality
 I'm sure you will
 always have many
 friends. I'm looking
 forward to your
 friendship at O.W.
 Stay as sweet as
 you are now, and
 you'll be a favorite of
 everyone, as you
 are now. Lots of love,
 B.B. V.B.

So one of the sweetest
 girls I have ever
 met. Good luck
 always.
 Love,
 Carolyn
 Phillips

Dear Opal -
 I'm glad to hear you
 are in college. I wish you
 all the luck in the world.
 I know you'll succeed
 in whatever you do.
 Love,
 Ruth



Dear Opal Jane.

Lets see how long
have we been going to
school now - about six
years. We went the 8. 70
to gather and many other
thing in class as well as
harding. Best all luck to
you all your life. I know
you will because your so
sweet -

Love Lucie Richard

Dear Opal Jane:
I have enjoyed
knowing you so much
this past year. I
hope you always
have loads of happiness
& the best of luck
in everything.
Diane Harlow

To Opal
I've enjoyed being with
you in Eng. this year.
I think you are a very
sweet girl and I wish
you much happiness
Emma McKenzie

Opal Jane
I would hardly know what
to do without you - you are so
interesting and so very sweet -
I want to wish you every
success in the world - but
I couldn't help but succeed -
Love you -
Carol McDonald
B.I.G.

Love
Bradley
Junior

Dearest Opal Jane,
to be in such close
knowing you &
how I hate for you
to leave us. If you have
the most precious per-
sonality, I appreciate
your selection of music.
be good & take care of your
voice. Love always

Opal Jane,
I have really
enjoyed being
in two classes with
you this year. You
are one of the
sweetest seniors I
know. Best of every-
thing in the future!
Love you - 1953
Madison

Opal Jane -
 one of the
 sweetest
 girls I
 have ever
 known.
 Best of
 luck in
 the coming
 years.
 Love,
 Patty Stout

Dear Opal Jane,
 you are the sweetest darn girl I've ever
 known. Your the best B.V.B. I know & I
 sure wouldn't trade your friendship for
 any ones. I'll really miss you next
 year cause you just make the
 Blue Club! I don't know what I'd do
 without you in here. We've only
 been friends for a year but I've
 enjoyed it so much, I hate to see
 you go. Please let me hear from
 you next year if you go away to
 school. Just be as sweet & cute
 as you are now. Here's wishing you
 the best of luck in every thing you
 ever do. I hope we may always be
 best of friends.

Love always,
 Mary Ann
 Cheatham

To Opal Jane,
 one of the sweetest
 girls I have ever known.
 It has been a pleasure to
 know you. Best of Luck
 in the coming years.
 Love,
 Patty Stout

Opal Jane,
 I've enjoyed so much
 being in a class with you.
 You have a wonderful personality
 & I'm sure you'll go far in music.
 Love
 Mary Armstrong

Opal Jane, I had heard
 last year's B.V.B. & always
 people speak of it. I was
 wondered who she was.
 Now I've met her & I can
 truthfully say, I think
 the world of you. Good
 Luck in future years!
 "Glee Club" Judy Pitt
 B. K. K.

Opal Jane,
 I think you
 are one of the sweetest
 cutest girls I have had
 the pleasure of knowing
 at E. Lassen. May you
 have the best of everything
 Love,
 Vera Jo

Lots of luck,
 Opal Jane,
 wherever you
 go and whatever
 you do.
 "Love"
 Willhoite

Opal Jane -
 Golly it has been nice
 working and being with you
 this last year. I think
 you are a wonderful and
 deserving girl and that you
 will continue to be so. Hope
 our friendship will grow with
 the years -

